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House Passes \$2 Rum Tax Bill to Yield 275 Millions

Right of Way Promised in Senate Monday for Measure.

Vote on Passage Stands 388 to 5

Democrats Defeat Score of Attempts to Change Bill.

Crushing all efforts to alter the measure, the House yesterday passed the House Ways and Means Committee liquor tax bill, 388 to 5, one Democrat joining four Republicans in opposition to passage.

The revenue producing measure will be used to the Senate Monday, where the Senate Finance Committee will begin consideration at once. Right of way was assured by Senate Democratic Leader Joseph T. Robinson.

As passed by the House, the bill provides a \$2 a gallon tax on whisky, \$3 a barrel on beer and levies from 10 cents to \$2 a gallon on wine, estimated to produce \$750,000 a day in new revenue.

Champagne Duty Defeated.

Only one out of nearly two score amendments was adopted—a belated Treasury Department proposal for placing 1-cent internal revenue stamps on legal stock to show the tax had been paid. The House Ways and Means committee threw its support to the amendment at an executive session earlier yesterday.

Only one other proposal reached a roll call vote—an amendment by Representative Harold Knutson (R-up Illinois), Minnesota, who sought to raise the duty on imported champagnes from 5 cents to 42½ cents per half-pint. The amendment was defeated 287 to 103, members adhering closely to party lines.

Republican party regulars quickly aligned themselves with Knutson in his effort to raise the tariff on champagne, assailing France for nonpayment of her debt to this country.

Amendments Voted Down.

"If France won't pay her champagne bill," Representative Fred A. Britten (Republican), shouted, while Knutson observed that "the best part of France are her American consular agents."

In the final vote on the Knutson amendment, six Democrats and four Farmer-Laborites joined 33 Republicans.

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U. S. Legation Warns China

Protection of American Lives and Property Demanded.

Peking, Jan. 5 (AP).—The United States legation informed the Chinese government today that the United States looks to the Chinese government for the full protection of the lives and property of Americans in Fukien.

The American declaration was in reply to the National Chinese government request that Americans in Fukien Province be withdrawn to Nantai and Kulung for safety.

The legation informed the Chinese that the United States consuls in Amoy and Foochow, the latter the capital of Fukien, had been instructed to advise Americans' withdrawal at the consuls' discretion.

The American declaration to the National government was preceded several days ago by similar communications from the Japanese, who said in addition that they would hold the Chinese government responsible for the safety of Japanese citizens in Fukien.

Naval Hero Was Racket-Buster

Operations of Mediterranean pirates were analogous to methods of modern racketeers. Read how Stephen Decatur "busted the racket."

Diplomatic Immunity in the United States

What are the privileges of foreign representatives on American soil? A comprehensive resume of diplomatic rights, supplemented by a map of Washington's "Embassy District."

Unsolved Mysteries of the Sea

A ship, lost for a month, found in perfect order, but no trace of captain or crew. Other stories about derelicts and phantom ships.

These and many other special articles and feature stories will be included tomorrow in The Washington Post Sunday Magazine. Order Your Sunday Post Today

U. S. Woman Cremated In French Air Crash

St. Louis Social Leader Killed as Private Plane Hits Electric Wires in Fog on Flight to Egypt; English Pilot Escapes.

Never, France, Jan. 5 (AP).—Evelyn G. Frost, prominent St. Louis society woman, burned to death today in the flaming wreckage of her small biplane after it crashed, during a heavy fog, into a high-tension wire near here.

Her companion, Geoffrey Ruttle, an English pilot, was at the dual controls, groping his way toward the Nevers Air Field. They were flying to Egypt.

He managed to unhook his safety belt and scramble clear, but suffered minor injuries.

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Public Debt Made Issue For Control

G.O.P. Quick to Seize on Rapidly Mounting Expenditures.

Democrats Are None Too Easy Over Possible Reaction.

By Raymond Clapper.

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Republican party leaders have seized upon the rapidly skyrocketing public debt as a major political issue for the coming fight to regain control in Congress.

Their calls of alarm grew louder as they studied the Administration budget figures which forecast a \$10,000,000,000 expenditure for the current year and a total public debt of \$31,000,000,000 by June 30, 1935.

Senator Daniel O. Hastings, of Delaware, chairman of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee, announced there would be a general attack on the size to which the debt is being permitted to go.

He said he would call his committee together next week to start activities looking toward the coming Senatorial elections, working in conjunction with the Republican Congressional Committee, which will undertake to elect a Republican House next fall.

Democrats Disturbed.

It was apparent that Republican leaders generally saw in the situation their first opportunity to unify forces on the issue of checking emergency expenditures. Even Democratic leaders, in some cases, were privately disturbed at possible public reaction. Publicly they are standing with the Administration.

Contention that if present measures bring recovery, payment of the bill will not overtax the wealth of a Nation which had an income of more than \$8,000,000,000 at the peak of prosperity.

Senator Hastings, outlining the main lines of the Republican Senatorial campaign committee's attack, said 25 per cent of the present National income is being spent by the Federal Government.

"You can be sure there will be a general attack on the increase in the public debt," Senator Hastings said. "That is a most shocking thing. There has been an increase of \$15,000,000,000 in four years, nearly 100 per cent. This sort of thing can't go on."

Income Cut Half.

"Practically 25 per cent of the National income is being spent by the Federal Government. In 1929 the Federal Government, in 1930 the country had an estimated income of \$80,000,000,000. About 5 per cent of that income, or \$4,000,000,000 was being spent by the Federal Government. In 1932 it was estimated that the National income was about \$40,000,000,000, and it could have been more in 1933. Yet our Federal expenditures were nearly \$10,000,000,000. In other words the National income decreased 50 per cent, while Federal expenditures increased about 125 per cent."

"We are not going to oppose everything President Roosevelt wants to do. I would not urge repeal of the temporary emergency legislation. While I think what the Government is doing is entirely wrong, I am willing to let the President have his way and ten months from now his measures will have pretty well demonstrated whether they were right or wrong."

This situation, in the opinion of the man charged with mobilizing Republican forces for the Senatorial election battle, should be emphasized.

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Ice Pack Perils Byrd's Flagship

Aboard Admiral Byrd's Flagship in the Antarctic, Jan. 5 (AP) (via Mackay Radio).—Assailed by a snowstorm, the flagship of Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd's second Antarctic expedition was prepared to move today if conditions became worse.

The ice pack appeared to be pressing in toward where the ship hove to in an area of open water, from which Admiral Byrd made a dramatic flight Wednesday to latitude 72.30 south.

Former U. S. Attorney's Daughter Weds in N.Y.

New York, Jan. 5 (AP).—The wedding in St. Bartholomew's Chapel of Miss Betty Buckner and Potomac Cox attracted much attention among society.

The bride is the daughter of Emory R. Buckner, lawyer and former United States attorney, and Mrs. Buckner. She chose her sister, Mrs. Buckner Phillips, as her matron of honor, and Miss Valeria Penrose, of Baltimore, as maid of honor.

6 Bandits Seize \$6,200 Payroll of Textile Firm

Camden, N. J., Jan. 5 (AP).—Six masked men, armed with sawed-off shotguns, held up the payroll clerk of Howland, Croft & Sons, textile manufacturers, today and escaped with \$6,200.

Roosevelt Firm on 5% Restoration

House Delegation Told Full Return July 1 Impossible.

Rise in Living Cost Felt Not to Justify Normal Pay.

President Roosevelt yesterday told a delegation of House appropriations subcommittee chairmen he intends to stand by his recommendations for only 5 per cent pay restoration in the 1935 budget.

Led by Representative James P. Buchanan, Democrat, Texas, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, the delegation called on the President seeking clarification of his pay-cut position as set forth in his annual pay-cut message.

There had been some disagreement among some committee leaders as to whether the President actually put his foot down on allowance for 100 per cent salary restoration in the 1935 measure, which does not become operative until July 1.

The President left no doubt in their minds that he meant what he said, according to members. They were advised the President will send a message to the House Appropriations Committee in the next few days, setting forth his awaited salary-shock order for the last half of the present fiscal year, only partially restoring the pay cut. In this communication, he will elaborate on cost of living researches on which his action will be based.

Members left the White House with the impression that the President feels cost of living advances not only do not justify full salary restoration, but such action at this time might precipitate other inroads on the various economy acts, including a new drive for restoration of veterans' benefits.

"Mark Up" Starts Today.

Meanwhile, Chairman Clifton A. Woodrum of the Independent Offices Appropriations Subcommittee called a meeting of that group for 10-30 o'clock today to "mark up" the first of the supply bills, providing funds for the Government's independent establishments.

The meeting is significant, as the subcommittee must determine whether it will allow for full salary restoration in 1935, or adopt the President's recommendation for only 5 per cent restoration. Although Chairman Woodrum and others formerly favored full restoration, Administration pressure is believed to have led to a change of opinion.

While the appropriation committee members were in conference at the White House, Representative Clarence J. McLeod (Republican), Michigan, introduced a bill providing for full salary restoration, and elimination of furloughs except to avoid dismissals, restoration of 30 days' annual leave, promotions, and filling of vacancies.

"The wage slashing program of the Federal Government for its own employees is inconsistent and entirely at variance with its policy concerning private industry," Representative McLeod said.

Chairmen of appropriation subcommittees accompanying Representatives Buchanan and Woodrum to the White House were Representatives Edward T. Taylor, of Colorado; William B. Oliver, of Alabama; W. A. Ayres, of Kansas; William W. Arnold, of Illinois; Louis Ludlow, of Illinois; Clarence Cannon, of Missouri; John N. Sandlin, of Louisiana; and Anthony J. Griffin, of New York.

Although the President offered no assurance that his recommendation would be a small restoration, it was considered significant that he should wish to dispose of the matter before distribution of the next pay roll as salaries are to remain at present levels there would be little need for promptness.

Reporters were told the President so far has been unable to spare sufficient time for detailed consideration of the matter.

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Key's Manuscript Of Anthem Brings \$24,000 in Sale

New York, Jan. 5 (AP).—The original manuscript of Francis Scott Key's "Star-Spangled Banner" was sold at auction today for \$24,000 to Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach, New York City collector.

The manuscript is from the collection of the late Henry Walters, of Baltimore and was sold at the order of the Safe Deposit & Trust Co. of Baltimore.

The manuscript was the first complete composition of the author, having been transcribed by Key from rough notes written on board the vessel from which he was fired, he viewed the engagement that prompted the piece.

Rumania's Playwright Premier Forms Cabinet

Bucharest, Rumania, Jan. 5 (AP).—George Tatarsescu, Rumania's new play-writing premier, formed his cabinet today. He retained the post of minister of commerce which he held under Ion G. Duca, assassinated by an anti-Jewish fanatic, Tatarsescu is 47, and looks younger.

Roosevelt to Ask Federal Guarantee for 4 Billion Farm, Home Loan Bonds

Message to Congress, Asking Full Surety, Due Next Week.

RFC Left Bank Peril To Ford, Senators Told

Motor Magnate Spurned Talk With Hoover as City's Institutions Tottered, Examiner Says; Couzens Threat "to Scream" Revealed.

That Henry Ford should not be "balled out" of responsibility for the troubles of his home-town banks by Federal loans was part of the evidence presented yesterday to the Senate committee investigating the Detroit bank crash.

Alfred P. Leyburn, a chief National bank examiner, gave a dramatic recital of banking difficulties in Detroit which led to the request for a loan from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

In refusing the loan, he said, Hoover Administration officials were influenced by the belief that Ford "should be to the rescue" and by the forceful declaration of Senator Couzens, of Michigan, that he would "scream to the house" if the loan were granted on what he considered inadequate collateral.

But the Detroit motor man remained adamant, even when it was suggested to him that President Hoover invite him to the White House for a conference to "talk things over."

Ford was quoted as replying to the suggestion that no matter who invited him to the White House, his answer would be "No, thank you."

Leyburn said the agitation for an RFC loan started when Ernest Kanzler, then chairman of the board of the Guardian Detroit Union group, called him hurriedly to Detroit in January, 1933. Kanzler, he said, presented a bleak picture of the condition of the unit banks in the group, saying that without a substantial loan the

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NRA Shake-Up Is Planned By Johnson

Code Reviews Will Be Held With Heads of Authorities.

(Associated Press.)

A general shake-up of the big code structure erected by NRA will be undertaken by Hugh S. Johnson next month to correct inconsistencies and injustices discovered during the several months of operation.

His plans to call in the nearly 200 code authorities, industry's own governing groups, for a thorough airing of difficulties, both within and between coded industries.

From what is learned then, he hopes to achieve a degree of consistency throughout the industrial control machinery which was impossible as long as the experimental phases of code creation dominated NRA activities.

Johnson cautioned newspapermen to regard his plan for reviewing code troubles by pointing out that "the centers of controversy are not much more than six or eight."

Idea Not Yet Developed.

Also, he explained, he has not developed the idea very far as yet, although he has definitely made up his mind.

One of the "centers of controversy" referred to by Johnson will be tackled without waiting for the general meeting.

A review of the lumber code was announced yesterday for January 9, and every body with a complaint against the code, whether lumberman, customer or labor representative, was invited to put in an appearance.

The lumber code has produced a wide variety of complaints, principally because the code limits sharply the price of lumber in past years has been high, and the code authority has been ordering shutdowns for long periods in the case of mills which exhaust their quotas early.

Another complaint comes from Southern millmen, which protest that the 22½-cent-an-hour minimum wage is ruining them.

These developments fitted into the program, initiated Wednesday with a hearing on the electrical manufacturing code of scrutinizing all codes for discrimination against small industrial units. Johnson

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German Court Issues First Sterilization Order

Goerlitz, Germany, Jan. 5 (AP).—The first court order for a sterilization law was decreed here today.

The court ordered George Pugsner, 34, a workman, sterilized for contributing to the delinquency of a minor. He was also committed to jail for one year as an old offender.

Action Predicated On Moral Liability

New Extension of U. S. Credit Expected to Speed Recovery.

President Roosevelt will ask Congress, probably next week, to throw the Government's full support behind both Farm Credit and Home Loan bonds, thus adding a portion of \$4,000,000,000 to mounting contingent liabilities.

He will either transmit another message to Congress, urging early action on unconditional guarantees of the bonds, or set forth this recommendation in a letter to Congressional committees.

This became known at the White House late yesterday, shortly after Senator E. D. Smith (Democrat), South Carolina, chairman of the Senate Agriculture Committee, announced that such legislation to cover Farm Credit bonds would be introduced in both Houses next week.

Moral Issue Involved.

In projecting the Government's credit into still another field, the President recognizes as a moral obligation of the Government the bonds of the Farm Credit Administration and the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, hitherto protected only as to the interest.

Extension of this Federal endorsement to the bonds also will serve the dual purpose of speeding up the recovery program on two more fronts and stemming their demands on the Treasury. With 100 per cent Government backing, both administrations would become self-supporting.

Although Mr. Roosevelt's recommendations may be restricted at first to bonds of the Farm Credit Administration, those of the Home Loan Corporation fall into the same category and undoubtedly similar protection will be sought, ultimately, for them.

Prods Legislative Plan.

Meanwhile, the President prodded along his legislative program, warning House Appropriations Committee members against the present huge budget, and generally planning to taper off the recovery program into one of long-range economic planning.

To newspapermen attending his press conference, he cheerfully confessed that eventually he contemplated a permanent plan of Federal development of watersheds and other natural geographic areas to eliminate waste, prevent soil erosion.

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Chicago Dairy Strike Is Called

18,000 Producers Vote to Cut Off Supply to Raise Prices.

Chicago, Jan. 5 (AP).—Eighteen thousand dairymen who supply virtually all of Chicago's milk voted today to begin a production strike at 6:30 a. m. tomorrow. Officers of their organization were given authority, however, to cancel the strike order if negotiations with distributors assumed a satisfactory trend.

The strike was a protest against attempts of four large distributors to reduce prices paid farmers in order that they might be enabled to enter a price war with small cut-rate milk firms.

Distributors said that the city faced a serious shortage within 48 hours if the strike is effective.

Approximately 350 farmers were present at a meeting of the Pure Milk Association when the vote was taken. The association claims to represent farmers in Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin, producing 95 per cent of the milk supply of the metropolitan area.

Women Face Death For Farewell Kiss

Wife, Daughter Observed as Rabies Suspects.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 5 (AP).—Both the wife and daughter of C. E. Ross, who died recently of rabies, were under observation at their home here today as a result of kissing him shortly before he died.

Physicians reported Mrs. Betty June Ross and her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Lewis, in a hysterical condition, awaiting the time when they may safely begin the pasteur treatment.

The two "death kisses" were given the dying man when Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lewis stood in his isolation ward and affectionately embraced him. Physicians did not learn of the incident until later.

Five Expelled From Ohio U. In Military Training Row

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 5 (AP).—Five Ohio State University students were expelled from the school by President George W. Rightmire because they refused to accede to an order that they register for military training.

The five are Edward Lepore, of Cleveland; Richard Caugard, of Cambridge; David Leitch, of Sabina, and Donald Leitch, and Carl Suttley, of Columbus.

The dismissal was made in the face of widespread protest from ministers and church organizations.

Action is still pending on the cases of seven other students who, like the five dismissed, were denied exemptions from military training, after they claimed to have "conscientious" objection.

Choate Studies \$2 Liquor Tax Bill Passes

Plan to Slash Liquor Prices

21 Wet State Governors Asked to Submit Quality Data.

(Associated Press.) A plan intended to decrease the price of liquor is being formulated by Joseph H. Choate, jr., Federal Alcohol Control administrator. Choate also told newspapermen he had telegraphed governors of the 21 wet States for information concerning sales of "wholesome liquor" which can be traced to wholesalers or manufacturers.

This was intended, he explained, as a move to increase the supply of wholesome liquor.

Price Cut Planned.

The administrator said he would complete his price-reducing plan soon, adding:

"I hope we will be able to shorten the spread between the manufacturer and the retailer."

He made clear States alone have authority over retailers.

Choate indicated that the other outstanding problem facing the Administration is the formulation of a "wholesaler's code. Along with other branches of the industry, wholesalers were given a 30-day period, ending January 9, to set a code. Failure to act will result in a code being set up by the Administration, Choate said.

Choate promised a general plan for allowing liquor import quotas will be ready soon.

Permit "Peddling" Scanned.

Investigation into reported peddling of liquor permits has disclosed that but three offers for sale have been made, Choate said. The Administration has found no evidence of an outright sale of such a permit, he added.

Telegrams went to the Governors of Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Montana, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Washington and Wisconsin.

Clapp Funeral Is Set Today

Resident of Washington 60 Years, Was Officer of I. O. O. F.

Funeral services for William Ellis Clapp, 82, who died Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Hohmann, Bethesda, Md., will be held at 2:30 p. m. today at the Hines undertaking establishment, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest. Interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

A resident of this city for 60 years, Mr. Clapp was born in Buffalo, N. Y. He was connected with the Pension Office for many years. An active member of Covenant Lodge, No. 13, I. O. O. F., Mr. Clapp served for several years as secretary of the lodge.

Mr. Clapp was married twice. His first wife was Miss Ella V. Hedrick. After her death he married Miss Anna Mason, who survives. Seven daughters, Mrs. Herbert D. Lawson, of Tacoma, Park; Mrs. A. C. Nett, of Lonsdale, Md.; Mrs. Bohannon, Mrs. Walter Fleming, of Buffalo, N. Y.; Mrs. Howard Stull, Mrs. Alfred King, Mrs. Roy Reid, all of Washington, and two sons, Almon M. and William, also survive.

Labor's Part in Welfare Work to Be Described

Labor's part in the welfare activities of Washington will be discussed by Richard A. Dickson, president of the Washington Central Labor Union and labor representative on the NRA Compliance Board, in a radio address tonight at 7:15. Mr. Dickson will be introduced by Elwood Street, director of the Community Chest.

CONGRESS YESTERDAY.

Senate.

In adjournment until Monday.

Banking and Currency subcommittee continued investigation into Detroit banks.

Military Affairs Committee in executive session considered nominations and voted to hold hearing on promotion of Brig. Gen. Harold B. Pike to major general at request of Senator Austin.

Agriculture Committee, in executive session, considered Government guarantee of principal of \$2,000,000 Farm Credit Administration securities.

Preparations made to scrutinize budget in detail and begin consideration of liquor tax legislation next week.

House.

Met at noon and adjourned at 4:35 p. m. until noon Monday.

Passed National liquor tax bill by vote of 388 to 5, with one member voting present.

Democratic leaders postponed plans to repeal discharge rule whereby 145 signers of a petition can force a vote on a bill.

Delegation of House Appropriations subcommittee chairmen appeared to President for clarification of his pay-cut views.

Joint session of District liquor bill opened by House and Senate District Committees, with Corporation Counsel W. W. Bridge defending license plan.

White House Firm on 5% Restoration

Congress Delegation Told Normal Pay July 1 Impossible.

(Continued from Page 1.) study of a Labor Department report comparing present living costs with those existing here in 1928. Earlier, White House officials discredited reports that the President would return 6 per cent of the wage slash at once. It was indicated that if there should be any restoration the percentage would be small.

Split Party Lines.

Democrats voting with Republicans for the Knutson amendment were Representatives Conner, of Massachusetts; Eagle, of Texas; Elcher, of Iowa; Fiesinger, of Ohio; Hoeppel, of California, and Maryland, of Oklahoma.

Farmer Laborites voting "aye" were Representatives Arens, Johnson, Lundeen and Shoemaker. Republicans joining Democrats in opposition to the amendment were Representatives Andrew, of Massachusetts; Andrews, of New York; Crowther, of New York; Goss, of Connecticut; Hancock, of New York; Higgins, of Connecticut; Merritt, of Connecticut; Mott, of Oregon; Reed, of New York; Tinkham, of Massachusetts, and Wadsworth, of New York. One Farmer Laborite, Representative Kvale, of Minnesota, voted "no."

Only one Democrat, Representative Roeppe, of California, voted against passage of the bill. Four Republicans joining him were Representatives Allen, of Illinois; Brumm, of Minnesota; McFadden, of Pennsylvania.

Federal Trade Board as NRA Court Favored

Roosevelt Said to Prefer This Means to Protect Code Sufferers.

(United Press.) President Roosevelt is considering ending the arbitrary emergency control of the NRA over industry by establishing the Federal Trade Commission as a court of appeals to which decisions of Gen. Johnson's organization may be carried, it was learned at the White House yesterday.

The step would be for protection of the "little fellow" whose interests have been espoused recently by Republican liberals whose support the President is anxious to retain. Senators Borah (Republican), Idaho, and Nye (Republican), North Dakota, have complained that the plan suspends the antitrust laws provided to permit industry to operate under codes, the small business man has been left without protection. In many industries, it is contended, the "little fellow" is hopelessly squeezed because big business dominates the code authorities.

The President has shown great interest in these charges and is known to desire some means by which the small business man may be protected. He mentioned this in his message to Congress Tuesday.

One plan he has considered is to set up a special board in the NRA to receive and investigate complaints of small business men. Recovery Administrator Johnson invited Senators Borah and Nye to serve on the board, but they contended it should not include members of Congress.

The indication that the President is considering using the Federal Trade Commission as a court of appeals appeared to console the other plan had been found unsatisfactory.

The Trade Commission is the agency through which antitrust laws are enforced, and its interest naturally would be to prevent unjustifiable monopolies under the NRA, observers point out. For that reason, some observers felt, it would be an ideal agency to deal with the complaints of the small business men.

Duke Witnesses Relate Actions

Testify They Suggested Changes in Bill He Attacked.

Two defense witnesses, in District Supreme Court, yesterday testified they had suggested modifications in the bill of exceptions which Attorney Jesse C. Duke, now on trial in a disbarment proceedings, said was "false, incomplete, deleted and diluted."

The witnesses were James Caparotta and A. R. Moberg. Both were tried for an alleged run-rig conspiracy in which Duke noted an appeal on behalf of four who were found guilty.

After hearing testimony from Moberg and Caparotta, the three justices hearing the case adjourned until Monday morning, despite protests by Duke, who said his associate attorneys had pressing business and wished to be free Monday.

Maryland Banker Acquitted, Weeps

Irvin T. Kepler, of Elkton, Cheered in Court.

Elkton, Md., Jan. 5 (AP).—A Cecil County jury today acquitted Irvin T. Kepler, former vice president of the Elkton Bank & Trust Co., of charges of misappropriating the bank's funds.

Cheers filled the Circuit Court room as the jury brought in its verdict after deliberating 2½ hours. The defendant wept.

Six other indictments are pending against Kepler, but court officials made no announcement as to their disposition. In its testimony, the State attempted to show that Kepler had made investments with the bank's money. When he took the witness stand he said he had been given complete charge of the bank's funds and that any investments came in connection with his executive duties.

Arkansas Highway Fund Is Enjoined

Three-Judge U. S. Court Rules on Obligations.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 5 (AP).—An injunction restraining the State treasurer from paying out highway funds was made permanent here today by a three-judge Federal court.

The court held that the State's Martineau road bonds, a large portion of which are held by the States of Pennsylvania and Nevada, were "direct obligations."

The decision drastically limited the powers of the extraordinary session of the Legislature, which convened here Tuesday, to refund the State's \$135,000,000 bonded indebtedness.

Drunk Mice They Show World "Alky" Won't Cure Cancer.

Buffalo, Jan. 5 (AP).—An idea born during the dry era that "ethyl," otherwise known as "drinking alcohol," might be good medicine for cancer has been dismissed by scientists.

A lengthy test of the effects of alcohol upon cancerous mice was reported in the American Journal of Cancer by Dr. Millard C. Marsh, of the State Institute for the Study of Malignant Diseases here.

Eight mice were allowed to drink themselves to death on 10 per cent alcohol, that being the only liquid taken. The mice lived for from two weeks to two months each. But in no instance was a single cancer sufferer benefited.

Johnson's Plan Shake-Up in NRA

Cargo Afire, Ship Speeds to Harbor

(Continued from Page 1.) pointed out that at that hearing, as in most complaints before NRA, the charges were "vague generalities," with little definite evidence to help correct undesirable conditions.

British Vessel 200 Miles From Honolulu.

Honolulu, T. H., Jan. 5 (AP).—The British freighter Sacramento Valley sped toward Honolulu tonight with a fire in her cargo of cotton. The vessel sent a wireless message that she expected to reach here tomorrow morning. The was 200 miles away.

The fire broke out two days ago. The Sacramento Valley was en route from San Diego to the Orient.

Death in Bridge Fall Reported Accidental

A certificate of accidental drowning was issued yesterday in the death of Samuel V. French, 33-year-old ironworker, who fell into the Eastern Branch Thursday while working on a bridge at Twenty-eighth street and Benning road northeast.

The certificate was issued by Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald. The ironworker's home was in Philadelphia.

Chicagoan Fined \$175 In British Duty Case

Southampton, England, Jan. 5 (AP).—William Andrew Scholl, 53, a Chicago business man, was fined \$175 today when he was convicted of attempting to evade customs duties. Customs officers said Scholl failed to declare four pairs of women's shoes, a wrist watch, a set of imitation jewelry, six pairs of women's silk hose, six fountain pens, six pencils, and 1,000 feet of picture film.

TELEGRAPH NEWS BRIEFS

Mdivanis to Travel.

San Francisco, Jan. 5 (AP).—Reservations for half a deck and a large suite aboard the liner Taishu Maru, sailing for Shanghai January 11, were made today by Barbara Hutten Mdivani and her husband, Prince Alexis Mdivani.

Tornado Kills Baby.

Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 5 (AP).—Three-year-old Marion Kenneth Rigby, blown from his father's arms during the tornadoes that struck Pensacola yesterday, died today.

Wages Are Increased.

St. Paul, Jan. 5 (AP).—T. Julian McGill, president of the Twin City Street Railway Co., today announced a 6 per cent wage increase affecting all employees excepting executives and those in the higher salary brackets effective January 25.

Mine Picket Shot.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 5 (AP).—A mine picket was shot and several men beaten today in a clash between strikers and workers at the Madris colliery of the Colohan Coal Co.

Police Captain Slain.

Amarillo, Tex., Jan. 5 (AP).—Night Police Captain Preston Burham, 55, was shot and killed here today when he sought to halt a gunman. A man identified by police as Burham's slayer was arrested.

Wife Holds 13 Spades.

Marion, Ind., Jan. 5 (AP).—Thirteen spades in a single hand—"hold-in-one"—of bridge—were held by Mrs. S. E. Johnston recently in a game of contract. Her husband was the dealer.

Two Held in Robbery.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 5 (AP).—D. Bonner and John H. Cunningham were arrested today on indictments returned in Federal court here charging conspiracy to receive and conceal bonds taken in a \$250,000 Chicago mail robbery more than a year ago.

Bonus Bill Signed.

New York, Jan. 5 (AP).—Gov. Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, left his sick bed in St. Luke's Hospital shortly after noon today to sign four bills enabling the payment of a \$50,000,000 bonus to World War and other veterans in his State.

Slayer Is Executed.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 5 (AP).—Jim Allen, 31-year-old Negro, was electrocuted at the State Penitentiary today for the murder of Roy Painter, cigar store operator, shot down in Knoxville Easter Sunday, 1932.

Rockefeller Improved.

Tarrytown, N. Y., Jan. 5 (AP).—John D. Rockefeller, jr., it was learned today, is feeling better and may make his delayed annual winter trip to his estate in Florida.

Andrew Squire Dies.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 5 (AP).—Andrew Squire, 84, prominent Cleveland attorney and one of the oldest members of the Ohio bar, died today at Lakeside Hospital.

Pension Plan Planned.

Kansas City, Jan. 5 (AP).—William H. Armstrong, of Racine, Wis., National commander, said here today that the United Spanish War Veterans organization will ask Congress to restore pension cuts provided by the National economy act voted last spring.

Artist Sued for Divorce.

Denver, Jan. 5 (AP).—Filing of a suppressed suit for divorce by Mrs. Emma Eason True against Allen T. True, well-known Denver artist, in County Court at Littleton became known here today. True died the mural paintings in the Wyoming and Missouri State capitols.

Stronger U.S. Grip on Crime, Cummings Plea

8-Point Program Offered to Lawmakers in Annual Report.

(Associated Press.) In an eight-point legislative program embodied in his annual report, Attorney General Cummings yesterday asked Congress to tighten the grasp of the law on crime and criminals.

He gave first place to "regulation of traffic in machine guns and other firearms." Then he recommended legislation covering:

Prison escapes, including complicity of prison officers or employees; resisting and killing a Federal officer; interstate transportation of stolen property; simplification of removal proceedings; escape from lawful custody while awaiting trial; waiver of indictment by grand jury in certain criminal cases; and regulation of alibi defenses.

Cummings said racketeering and kidnapping had contributed to an additional strain on the Justice Department. He did not speak of lynchings.

Asks Land-Buying Law.

One other question he submitted for the "serious consideration" of Congress:

"Enactment of laws providing for uniformity of practice and procedure in proceedings involving the acquisition of land by the Federal Government."

Gold hoarding and kidnapping increased demands on the division of investigation during the 1933 fiscal year. Commenting on the Federal kidnapping law and the extortion act of 1932, Director J. Edgar Hoover said:

"While it was first felt the division would not be called upon to function in the usual kidnapping cases but might be called upon to investigate activities of those cases where there had been a transportation of the victim across State lines, it was soon realized it would be impracticable to follow any such policy."

5,000 Hoarders Probed.

Turning to gold hoarding, Hoover said approximately 10,000 names were forwarded to the Department of Justice by the Treasury Department for investigation. By the end of June, 5,000 had been investigated, resulting in return of \$737,022. Commenting on the Federal Banks, He estimated that prior to department interviews 4,000 persons had returned \$26,000,000.

Cummings reported 224,126 cases pending and that 71,697 cases had been disposed of. Income from revenues and collections was \$10,525,863. Expenditures for the Department and for Federal courts totaled \$41,165,801. Fourteen prohibition investigators were killed.

Federal institutions held 13,188 prisoners last June 30, or 1,126 fewer than a year earlier.

Services Are Held For Luther Miller

Military Rites at Grave for War Veteran.

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Funeral services were held yesterday for Luther Miller, 63-year-old veteran of the Spanish-American War, who died at his home near King George Court house following a long illness.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Stocks, of Shiloh Baptist Church, followed by military rites at the grave in the National Cemetery here under the Rev. R. V. Lancaster, pastor of the Fredericksburg Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Josephine Miller; two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Sykes, of Lancaster County, and Mrs. Annie Horsman, of Cambridge, Md.; and six brothers, Thomas, Lynn and Charles Miller, of Richmond County; Eddie Miller, of Fredericksburg, and William and John Miller, of Baltimore, Md.

Historic Buildings Supervisor Named

Maj. H. B. Price Chosen for Survey Here.

Appointment of Maj. Harry B. Price as supervisor for the historic buildings survey was announced yesterday by Secretary of the Interior Ickes.

The survey, to be conducted through the Nation to preserve historic buildings, is a Civil Works Administration project. The country was divided in 40 districts in which a careful check of historic buildings will be made by unemployed architects.

Maj. Price will have charge of the District and Maryland west of Chesapeake Bay. The Virginia district will be supervised by Philip N. Stern, of Fredericksburg.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Home Building Association will be held on TUESDAY, January 8, 1934, at 1 o'clock p. m. at the residence of the association, 2900 Pennsylvania avenue north-west. The business of the meeting will be the election of officers and directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Books for stock subscription to the shares of the fifty-seventh series, JAMES M. WOODWARD, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Union Trust Company of the District of Columbia for the year ending December 31, 1933, will be held on TUESDAY, January 8, 1934, at 1 o'clock p. m. at the residence of the association, 2900 Pennsylvania avenue north-west. The business of the meeting will be the election of officers and directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Books for stock subscription to the shares of the fifty-seventh series, JAMES M. WOODWARD, Secretary.

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F. C. Norwood, White House Frederick Bar Word Awaited, Dean, 78, Dies On Tariff Policy

Former State Senator and Bank Head Was Noted as Historian.

Frederick, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Former State Senator Frank C. Norwood, 78, oldest member of the Frederick County bar, an authority on history and a leading citizen, died today after an illness of six weeks with heart trouble.

Born at Libertytown in 1855, Mr. Norwood was a son of the late Benjamin Nelson Norwood and descendant of an old English family. He was graduated from the Maryland Agricultural College in 1874 and from the law department in 1879.

A Republican, he took an active interest in politics and in 1888 was elected State's attorney, serving four years. In 1889 he was elected to the General Assembly and in 1895 he was elected to the State Senate and reelected four years later.

He was president of the First National Bank, which later became the Central Trust Co., and was chairman of the board of directors when it closed in 1932.

He was a member of the State Bar Association and was a charter member of Sgt. Lawrence Everhart Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, serving as its president for two years. For a number of years he was president of the Frederick County Historical Society, a member of the State Historical Society and had an extensive library. He was a director of the City Hospital and a member of All Saints' Episcopal Church.

Speculation as to what industries may be designated for preferential treatment under the new tariff policy has caused the various governmental departments to be showered with information requests from manufacturers.

Officials are current that some rumors of the Department of Commerce as well as of the Department of State disapprove the creation of any central agency to handle trade negotiations as they fear their prerogatives might be impaired.

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Italy Opposes Definite Date On Arms Meet

Direct Negotiations Are Held Necessary in Statement.

Rome, Jan. 5 (AP)—Italy today bluntly set forth her position against fixing a definite date for resuming the Geneva disarmament conference.

An article in the Evening Press by Virginio Gayda, recognized semi-official spokesman, said direct arms negotiations among various powers must continue indefinitely.

"It is not yet time to think of transferring disarmament activity back to Geneva," it said. "And much less to fix a definite date for resumption."

The article, published as Sir John Simon, the British foreign secretary, was traveling to London to report to his government on talks yesterday and Wednesday with Premier Mussolini, was taken as revealing the position Italy will assume when the arms conference steering committee meets in Geneva January 22.

The statement insisted no substantial improvement in the arms situation can be reached without a Franco-German accord and set forth the belief that this must be reached on the basis of German equality.

The issue of a League of Nations reform, as advanced ardently by Il Duce, was admittedly engulfed by the armament problem.

Elliott Widow Seeks Divorce

Young Husband Charges She Paid Costs of His Divorce.

Los Angeles, Jan. 5 (AP)—Trial of the divorce suit of Mrs. Claudia Elliott Tanner, widow of George W. Elliott, former Washington, D. C. financier and a "dollar-a-year man" during the World War, against young Benjamin D. Tanner, has been started in superior court here. She charges cruelty.

Tanner, in his answer, asserted Mrs. Elliott paid for his divorce from his first wife so that he might marry her. He further alleged she promised to divide her property, then estimated to be worth \$200,000, with him if he married her. This, he charged, she failed to do.

His wife objected to his working, making him devote his time to social engagements, Tanner asserted.

Mrs. Tanner testified she had twice set her young husband up in business, that he frequently became intoxicated and had left her three times before the final separation last September 18.

"You know, honey, I hate you so much I could kill you," she testified Tanner once told her.

Ethel Barrymore's Fireworks in Book

Eva LeGallienne Adds Light on Philadelphia Blame.

New York, Jan. 5 (AP)—Some of the background of Ethel Barrymore's recent hurried trip to Philadelphia in defense of Eva LeGallienne comes to light in Miss LeGallienne's autobiography, "At 33," published today.

"The two seasons I spent in support of Miss Barrymore," writes Miss LeGallienne, "were of immense importance in the development of my work. Underneath any occasional temperamental fireworks Miss Barrymore has a warmth and generosity of spirit which compel undying devotion in anyone who has ever known her."

Miss Barrymore joined Miss LeGallienne earlier in the winter in criticizing anti-Philadelphia women's club after Miss LeGallienne missed a lecture engagement.

Farmers' Hls Laid To Money Juggling

Reno Asks New Mortgages at 1 1/2 Per Cent.

New York, Jan. 5 (AP)—Milo Reno, president of the Farmers Holiday Association, today laid farm troubles to underconsumption caused by "monopolization and manipulation" of the currency medium.

The farmer demands, he said, "that the present unthinkable condition, where people starve in the midst of a superabundance of food, go naked and freeze with an abundance of raw material to be processed into clothing and a multitude of laborers happy to perform the service of processing, be made impossible."

He proposed refinancing of farm mortgages at 1 1/2 per cent interest, the necessary money to be provided by an issue of noninterest bearing Treasury notes.

Back Alive!

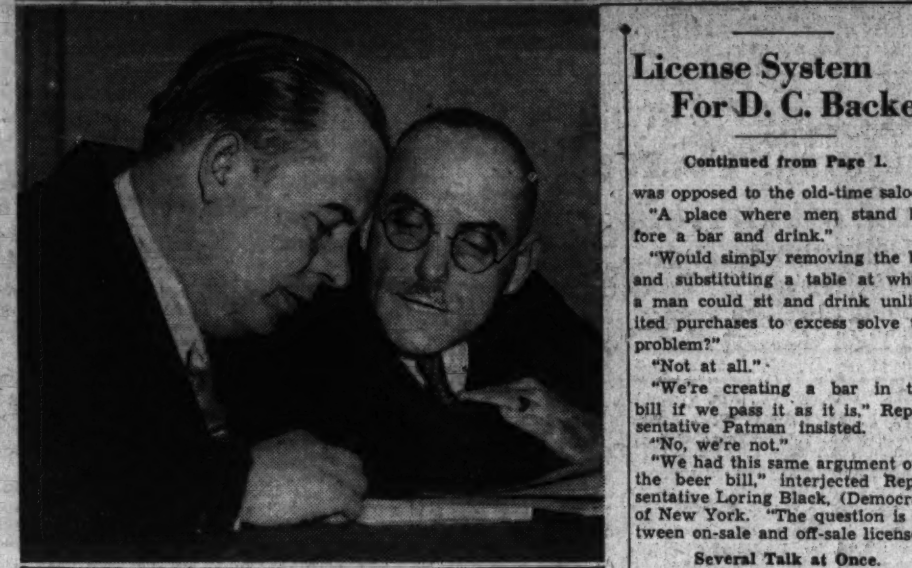
Buck Returns With Strange Animal, Stranger Tales.

New York, Jan. 5 (AP)—Frank Buck, who brings 'em back alive, has arrived from southern Asia and the East Indies with a game leg and the announcement that he had captured an Indian male rhinoceros, one of the most valuable animals in the world.

Buck's bad leg was the result of an encounter with a honey bear which had a sour disposition. Buck captured the bear in northern Johore.

Buck also told of an escape from the coils of a 24-foot python in northern China. The big snake had wound itself around the hunter when Buck's bat boy, Ali, slashed it with a brush knife. Buck then shot the snake.

District Liquor Control Hearings Open



Post Staff Photo.

House and Senate District Committees yesterday opened joint hearings on the law under which residents of the District will do their drinking. Above—Representative Mary T. Norton, chairman of the House committee, raps for order. With her are Senator William H. King (left), chairman of the Senate committee, and Senator Pat McCarran, committee member. Below—District Commissioner George E. Allen (left) confers with Assistant Corporation Counsel Vernon E. West, who helped draft the bill.

Public Debt Made Issue For Control of Congress

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placized to the country if the party is to fulfill its function as an opposition group.

"In Doubt Ten Months." "Some people believe no more Republican senators can be elected and a great benefit will thus come to the country," he said. "If that be true the Republican Campaign Committee will struggle in vain. I think, however, the effort we shall put forth will be quite worth-while."

Initial Action Under Security Statute Started

St. Louis Firm's Statement on New Bonds Is Questioned.

(Associated Press.) "The first action under the 'truth in securities act' to determine accuracy of statements by corporation officials in issuing securities has been initiated by the Federal Trade Commission against the Laclede Gas Light Co. of St. Louis, it was revealed yesterday.

The commission set January 12 for a hearing here to determine whether the company's denial in its registration statement that it was involved in suits affecting the value of the issue was a misstatement.

The commission said it had learned the company has pending suits involving rates it could charge for its service, and will seek to ascertain if such suits were not materially important to investors.

Harley L. Clarke, of Chicago, is chairman of the board of the firm. He did not, however, sign the registration statement, its legality being fixed by the signatures of a majority of the directors.

The amount involved is \$3,000,000 in refunding bonds, distributed to a small number of holders in exchange for old securities. They fall due in 1963.

If the commission applies a stop order against the issue after the hearing, bondholders may claim either the former securities or cash from the company, while individual officers and directors become liable to civil proceedings.

Girls Lose Suit To Enter College

Texas A. & M. Strictly for Men, Says Court.

Bryan, Tex., Jan. 5 (AP)—A dozen Bryan girls failed today in their effort to force the directors of Texas A. & M. College to permit them to enter the school. Only men, with one recent exception, are granted registration privileges at the college, a land grant institution.

In denying the petition of the girls for a writ of mandamus, District Judge W. G. Davis held that Congress and the State Legislature "intended to leave the decision on whether the institution should be educational to the board of directors."

Misfit

Woman Tries on Shoes to Prove Her Innocence.

Buckhannon, W. Va., Jan. 5 (AP)—Mrs. Helen Brenway, in jail for questioning, took the Cinderella test today and emerged triumphant.

The "Princess" is Sheriff Morgan Bailey and the success of the test lay in the fact the slippers didn't fit.

The shoes were found in the automobile in which two men fled after robbing the bank at Adrain of \$1,800 last month. John Malik, 43, of Detroit, was killed. Lee Haskins, 30, of Detroit, is in jail.

Mrs. Brenway denied she knew the robbers.

RFC Left Bank Rescue to Ford, Senators Told

Motor Magnate Barred Hoover Parley as Crash Nears, Says Witness.

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Guardian Union Trust Co. would be forced under, probably taking with it the parent bank, the Guardian National Bank of Commerce, and the various subsidiary banks throughout the State.

A week after this conference, group directors and Leyburn approached the RFC.

Dividends Legally Questioned.

When Administration officials suggested that Senator Couzens, Michigan's senior Senator, be asked to recommend the loan, Leyburn said the bankers hesitated. They were finally persuaded, however, to approach the Senator, who curtly informed both bank and Administration conference that the collateral offered was not sufficient.

Leyburn said he was "amazed" at the weak condition of the Guardian National Bank of Commerce. He condemned the group's practice of calling for dividends from member banks in order to pay interest charges on group obligations amounting to more than \$14,500,000.

Even though bank examiners' reports frequently questioned the legality of continued dividend payments without proportionate earnings, said Leyburn, the practice was kept up. At one time, he said, he told group officials that dividend payments were unjustified in all but two banks in the system. Edsel Ford and Charles S. Mott, of General Motors, were among those present at this meeting, he added.

Bank Stock Pool Described.

Kenzler, who preceded Leyburn on the stand, told the committee about a purchase syndicate in which he participated with Charles B. Warren, former American ambassador to Japan and Mexico, and Roy Chapin, former Secretary of Commerce, for the purpose of keeping up the price of Guardian group stock.

The syndicate, which was composed of 112 Guardian group directors, purchased 90,000 shares of stock for \$3,200,000 and agreed to hold them for a year.

The group stock, he said, had declined from a high of \$300 in 1929, to \$75 at the time of the purchase syndicate. This drop was having a "disquieting" effect upon depositors, said Kenzler, and the bankers were worried.

The committee adjourned until Tuesday, when it will proceed with the Guardian investigation, with special emphasis upon other syndicates and pools for the purpose of stock manipulation.

Bazaars Searched To Enrobe Pu-Yi

Manchu Relic Prices Leap Under Impetus.

Peiping, Jan. 5 (AP)—Those Manchurian robes that American tourists bought for a song—well, they would have to hire Maria Jeritza herself to sing that song today.

For Henry Pu-yi is to be crowned king of Manchukuo, and where there is a Manchurian king, Manchurian robes must be worn.

Former attaches of the Chinese imperial household are ransacking bazaars, pawnshops, and second-hand stalls for Manchurian robes bearing imperial insignia, and for other ceremonial attire.

The prices on all such clothing have jumped sky high.

Swiss Bandits Raid Bank, Kill Cashier

Wound Another, Stroll by Policeman With Loot.

Basel, Switzerland, Jan. 5 (AP)—Two robbers today killed one cashier, wounded another, and shot up the interior of the Weher & Co. Bank near the Bank for International Settlements.

They escaped with an undetermined number of bundles of bank notes and 3,400 francs in silver (about \$1,050).

Both gunmen were unmasked. They fired eight shots inside the bank, terrorizing the employees, and then strode out, a policeman, who suspected nothing.

Crew of 12 Escapes As Steamer Sinks

Down in Columbia River After Striking Rock.

The Dalles, Ore., Jan. 5 (AP)—The sternwheeler Hercules sank in shallow water in the Columbia River today near Three-Mile Rapids after striking a submerged rock.

Her crew of 12 escaped, although it was believed at least one was injured.

Only the pilot house and a part of the stern remained above water. A swift current threatened to turn the vessel on its side, despite efforts to lash it to the shore.

Dam Blasting Denied.

Los Angeles, Jan. 5 (AP)—Investigation disclosed today that there was no foundation for reports that the disastrous Monday flood in the La Cresenta-Montrose area resulted from dynamiting a dam during the storm. Capt. Norris G. Stensland of the sheriff's office reported.

licensed places under the proposed law at 1,900.

Appointment to the control board was restricted to bona fide residents of the District because the people felt their own people should regulate the business, Mr. Brice told Representative Byron B. Harlan (Democrat), of Ohio.

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The Sizes Are: 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48.

Roosevelt to Ask U. S. Back Loans on Farms and Homes

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sion and, to a certain extent, effect social reforms.

As a logical outgrowth of the more-temporary public works program, he envisions the Government actively carrying out this policy over a period of years. Roughly, between \$400,000,000 and \$500,000,000 would be spent annually in this direction from current revenues.

Farm Brans Speeded.

Indication that President Roosevelt guaranteed followed a conference with William L. Myers, governor of the Farm Credit Administration, who reported loans speeded up to more than \$10,000,000 a month.

So far none of the farm bonds have been put on the market. They have been accepted by the RFC, which in turn obtained the money from the Treasury. Less than \$150,000,000 have been issued to date, as the Farm Credit Administration has had two other sources for funds—original assets and \$200,000,000 capital authorized by Congress.

Similarly, the Home Loan Corporation has been proceeding slowly in the issue of bonds. Loans of only \$103,257,858 had been approved through December 1. Both agencies can issue up to \$2,000,000,000 in bonds, under the acts creating them, however, and with the aid of Government credit would speed rapidly toward their limits.

Makes Bonds Bank High.

In blending together nine loan agencies into the Farm Credit Administration, Congress at the last session guaranteed the interest but not the principal of the bonds. In the case of the Home Loan Corporation, interest was guaranteed until the bonds were paid—creating an anomalous situation amounting virtually to a guarantee of the bonds themselves.

President Roosevelt is believed to feel the bonds eventually would be

recognized as the Government's moral liability, that there is no good reason to delay that day, and that frank acknowledgment of that fact would relieve the Treasury of another drain, and put both loan organizations on solid footing.

Direct Government backing would convert their bonds from slow securities to the equal of ordinary Government bonds.

New Agency Necessary.

This change in the bonds would necessitate the creation of another corporation under the Farm Credit Administration to handle the new issues. The bonds then would be exchanged directly for farm mortgages, a transaction at present negotiated by cash, and thus they would find their way into the market.

Guarantee of the bonds does not mean the public debt, now climbing to the highest peak in history, would be increased by another four billions. It would mean that the Government would be liable for any deficiency resulting from sale of collateral behind the issues.

This future contingent liability, which was not seen to involve any great sum, Mr. Roosevelt was ready to swap for the impetus it would give the two loan agencies. As for the two billion limitation in each case, he believed Congress had made a good guess—and that no more would be needed.

Formal Action Today to Seek U. S. School Aid

Advisory Committee Meets to Draft Appeal to Roosevelt.

Aid for schools of the Nation from the National Recovery program will be asked of President Roosevelt in formal request to be drafted today by the Federal Advisory Committee on Emergency Aid in Education.

The committee will meet at the Brookings Institution. James N. Rule, State superintendent of education in Pennsylvania, will preside. The District will be represented by Belle Sherwin, president of the League of Women Voters.

Mrs. Hugh Bradford, president of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers; Mrs. William T. Bannerman, chairman of the committee on legislation of the Congress and Selma Borchardt, of the American Federation of Labor.

Other educational and civic leaders invited to attend are: William G. Carr, research director of the National Education Association; C. R. Mann, director of the American Council on Education; Arnold B. Hall, director of the Brookings Institution; the Rev. George Johnson, director of the National Catholic Welfare Conference; M. F. Montanv, director of the legal department of the conference, and Henry I. Harriman, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

The committee developed from a movement started last fall by George F. Zook, U. S. commissioner of education. His petition to be drafted today will be based on a program by a subcommittee.

Friends of Soviet Will Meet Sunday

Session to Honor Arrival of Trotsky.

Friends of the Soviet Union will hold a meeting in honor of the arrival of Ambassador Trotsky on Sunday, in Typographical Temple, 423 G street.

Speakers will be Harvey O'Connor, author of "Mellon's Millions," and Hays Jones, member of the American delegation that has returned from Moscow. Jones will tell of his reception by Soviet officials. O'Connor will give his views on the significance of a Soviet Embassy in Washington.

Plans for the first national convention of the Friends of the Soviet Union to be held in New York January 28-29, will be discussed.

Veteran Riverman Dies.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 5 (AP). "Cap'n" Neff G. Dukes, 91, whose name was a byword with old-time Mississippi rivermen, died last night.

Million Interest On Debt Foreseen

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substantial relief from Federal taxation in the near future.

Payment of \$1,000,000,000 a year in interest on the debt would not be a new experience for the Treasury. In 1923 it paid \$1,055,923,000 for that purpose, or about 98 per cent of the total budget. In that year the Treasury was paying an average interest rate of 4.339 per cent. By refunding securities with high interest rates it has worked that rate down to the present average of 3.35 per cent. The total paid in interest was reduced to \$559,000,000 by 1932.

Brief Loans Also Factor.

This low average rate, however, also results from the volume of short-term financing which the Treasury has been doing in recent years. At present the short-term debt of the Treasury totals more than \$7,800,000,000. Any step toward refunding this debt into longer-term securities would have the effect of increasing the average annual rate of interest—offsetting perhaps the savings which might be achieved through refunding 4 1/2 per cent. Liberty Loan bonds still outstanding.

This contemplation of the effect of the public debt on the Government's finances is predicated on President Roosevelt's figures and also on the assumption the Treasury will meet the predicted deficits by borrowing and will not resort to the use of greenbacks or the issuance of notes against any gold it might seize as a result of a devaluation of the dollar.

As the President's figures are more carefully investigated it becomes further apparent that, unless he is contemplating making expenditures for purposes he has kept secret, he has overestimated the probable deficit on June 30 next. Those who have inquired into this situation are not yet convinced the Treasury can spend, for purposes now known, \$10,000,000,000 this fiscal year.

Borrowing Need Doubled.

If it does not, then there will be no need for the Treasury during the next six months to borrow \$10,000,000,000, as stated by the President. He has overestimated the probable deficit on June 30 next. Those who have inquired into this situation are not yet convinced the Treasury can spend, for purposes now known, \$10,000,000,000 this fiscal year.

The Treasury statement of the public debt as of December 31 lists \$2,879,000,000 in securities maturing before July 1. Included in the group, however, is a total of \$1,002,000,000 in 90-day bills, which if refunded by issues of a like nature would require two issues of 90-day bills in the amount of \$1,000,000,000 each during the next six months. Thus in setting the figure for maturities at \$4,000,000,000 President Roosevelt must have counted the 90-day bill maturities twice. Actually, however, only \$2,000,000,000 of refinancing is scheduled for the next six months.

D. C. Woman Collapses And Dies in Restaurant

A woman who collapsed and died in a restaurant at 1027 Seventeenth street northwest was identified last night by friends as Mrs. Mary McNeish, 45, Astoria Apartments, 704 Third street northwest.

Mrs. McNeish was said to be a widow and lived alone. Coroner A. Magruder Macdonald said her death resulted from natural causes.

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Row Over Jobs In Virginia City More Confused

Fredericksburg Office to Be Reorganized; Conflict Cited.

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Reorganization of the Fredericksburg Reemployment Commission, broken up after an attack by City Councilman Cecil Reid, is expected to follow arrival here yesterday of Miss Adele Clark, representative of the State Reemployment Office in Richmond.

Benjamin T. Pitts, who has been suggested as chairman of the reemployment board, in a public letter yesterday expressed regret at having signed without reading more carefully the old committee's letter to Mr. Guy explaining the reemployment fracas here.

Mr. Pitts disagreed with the letter's assumption that those who registered for Battlefield Park historic staff positions signed only because of "attractive rates of pay."

Pitts now says he feels registrants "signed because they needed jobs."

Reid announced today he would not accept a position on the new reemployment board.

The local CWA office has announced confusion over conflicting orders from Richmond. Mr. Guy had told committees "to select for placement those most needy and most deserving."

This communication, the local office reports, was countermanded by a bulletin of January 2 from State Administrator William A. Smith's office stating:

"It has come to our attention that people are still being taken from relief rolls to fill civil works jobs. From now forward it is absolutely inadmissible to fill any civil works jobs except from the ranks of the self-sustaining unemployed through the offices of the National Reemployment Service."

J. H. Chiles, superintendent of Spotsylvania County schools, yesterday said Spotsylvania schools will resume normal operations following the holidays and will not be disrupted as those of the Stafford and King George schools, closed until January 22 to allow civil works improvements.

Culpeper County Salaries Are Set

Court Clerk Is Given \$250 Yearly Increase.

Culpeper, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Salary adjustment for county officials was acted on at the first meeting of the board of the Culpeper County Board of Supervisors.

The salary for the clerk of the court was increased \$250, to \$1,200. Salaries of the sheriff and Commonwealth's attorney, which were reduced last year to \$700, less 10 per cent, were allowed on the same basis. Salary for county game warden was increased \$10 a month.

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BRAUN.—On Wednesday, January 3, 1934, at Georgetown University Hospital, SUSANNE M. BRAUN, nee Smith, died at 2 p. m. Burial at Arlington National Cemetery.

CHAPMAN.—On Thursday, January 4, 1934, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. WILLIAM L. CHAPMAN, died at 2 p. m. Burial at Arlington National Cemetery.

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Miss Nottingham Shares "Three Woman" Art Exhibit

Culpeper Woman Shows Paintings in Gallery at Richmond.

Culpeper, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—A collection of the paintings of Miss Elizabeth Nottingham, of Culpeper, is playing an important part in the "Three Woman" exhibition of art, which was opened at the Richmond Academy of Arts. She is sharing honors with Miss Betty Dyson, a New York etcher, and Miss Ashton Wilson, of Richmond, one of Virginia's best-known young artists.

This is the first time Miss Nottingham has exhibited in a Virginia gallery, although private exhibitions were held at her home early in the winter.

Miss Nottingham was educated at Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, and continued her studies with the Students Art League of New York, where she received the Tiffany Scholarship, carrying a six months' course at the Tiffany Art Colony on Long Island, and the

McDowell Scholarship, which gave her study abroad.

Miss Elizabeth Nottingham

Charles Town Seeks \$25,000 To Rebuild Hall

Government Relief Rations Are Distributed in Martinsburg.

Charles Town, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—A \$25,000 PWA loan for remodeling Charles Washington Hall, known as the "market place," has been applied for here, following council's approval Tuesday of plans submitted by C. K. Howell, Winchester, Va., architect.

The first-floor stores and second-story offices would be increased, and the third floor would be a public auditorium under the plans.

The outside of the building will not be altered, but sanitation and heating equipment, with tile floors throughout, would be added.

Lines Form for Pork.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The nearest approach to a bread line this city has seen was in progress three afternoons this week, when several hundred workmen formed lines to receive their share of the Federal Relief Administration's 10,000 pounds of pork sent here.

The Governmental pork was cut into 50-pound pieces, with few 3-pound sections going to small families. The hogs were purchased by Agricultural Adjustment Administration in the hog-reduction campaign several months ago.

There were 1,500 to 2,000 pieces in the first shipment, with another of the same size on the way.

Parsons, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—More than 700 men are working in the first shipment of PWA projects in this section. It was announced today by Ranger Donald W. Beck, in charge of the local office of the Monongahela National Forest.

One hundred and fifty additional men will be placed on two projects on Backbone Mountain.

Work on Route 72 from St. George was started yesterday by a crew of 20 men. This route will be graded and drained and men are now engaged in cutting the right of way.

It is planned to erect the new building on a tract adjoining the senior high school. In addition to the city council, the Rotary Club, the Woman's Club, the American Legion, the St. Albans Business Men's Association and other groups have given their approval.

Two Escape Jail In West Virginia

Jailer Slugged by Pair Held for Grand Jury.

Grafton, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—State, county and city police today searched central West Virginia for Clyde DeMoss, 26, and Howard Shaw, 21, both of Grafton, who escaped from Taylor County Jail at Grafton last night after slugging the jailer.

The men were awaiting grand jury action on charges of robbing a Grafton drug store.

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Staunton Area CWA Projects Continue Climb

Pay Rolls Gain as School and Other Works Are Approved.

Staunton, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Civil works operations in this five-county area are moving forward rapidly under direction of Willard F. Day, Staunton's city manager, who is a deputy State administrator.

The last weekly pay roll was \$45,000, and went to 3,800 men and women in the five counties. This represented a gain of \$5,000, and 903 workers over the previous week.

The number of employees increased in the respective counties as follows: Rockingham, 338; Augusta, 165; Shenandoah, 139; Frederick, 39; Rockbridge, 152; in the cities, Staunton, 162; Buena Vista, 22; Harrisonburg, 7. Decreases were noted as follows: Bath, 35; Highland, 17; Winchester, 9.

The latest project in Staunton is the public sewing room, where garments are being reconditioned or made from new materials for needy persons.

Five women have just been put to work in the Staunton Public Library, in accordance with recommendations of the American Library Association, mending and cleaning books, preparing local inventory of catalogue, typing, filing, collecting and compiling lists, all directed by Mrs. Krings Denton, librarian.

Albemarle Grants Rise.—Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Additional school projects in Albemarle County, totaling for expenditures of \$32,000 have been approved by the State Civil Works Administration.

Some 80 school projects already had been approved for the county at a cost of \$45,000.

The new projects call for 38,000 man hours at a cost of near \$25,000 and materials costing \$7,300. They include the painting of the auditorium at Cismont; work on the grounds at Earlysville, Red Hill and Greenwood; rebuilding of a classroom at Staunton; and an additional classroom at the Scottsville colored school and digging of a number of wells.

125 Busy in Clarke.—Berryville, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Fully 125 men have been given work on CWA projects in Clarke County, embracing school repairs and rebuilding of highways and sidewalks in Berryville and Boyce.

The weekly pay roll now is nearly \$1,000, says A. B. Hummer, CWA administrator. All Clarke County projects have been approved except one street project in Berryville and the reindexing of records at the county clerk's office.

3 Projects in Woodstock.—Woodstock, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Twenty men were at work today on Woodstock's third CWA project, the building of a sewage disposal system. This will be completed by February 15.

Other CWA projects in Woodstock on which more than 50 men are employed include the building of a bridge over "Spring Hollow," and the repainting of the courthouse.

Danville List Grows.—Danville, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—All but two of the 17 Danville projects for civil works projects have been approved by the State board, and provide 203,441 man hours. Danville's quota was 217,470 man hours.

There are 550 men now working on these projects, and additional work will be available next week. John Weber, in charge of the Federal employment bureau, is trying to keep employed people from leaving jobs hoping to obtain work on CWA projects at a higher wage.

Change in Roanoke.—Roanoke, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Mrs. A. B. Hunt, Jr., has assumed charge of the Roanoke Transit Bureau, succeeding Miss Elizabeth Ayres, who is now district supervisor of transient bureaus, with offices in Richmond.

Five Counties Plan Credit Association.—Woodstock, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—A production credit association for Frederick, Clarke, Warren, Page, and Shenandoah Counties will be formed at a meeting of farmers, dairymen, and small fruit growers here January 24. The association is one of 18 similar organizations of the Federal Production Credit Corporation in Virginia.

At the Woodstock meeting, officers and directors of the association will be named. Credit specialists from Washington and the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, are to address the Woodstock gathering.

East Shore's First Poultry Show Ends.—Denton, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The first poultry show ever held on the Eastern Shore closed at the end of its fourth day here last night.

Sponsored by the Maryland Poultry Association, the show was marked by an exhibition of rare birds and domestic fowl. The show will be repeated here next year.

The exposition was the first of its kind held in Maryland in the last nine years. Almost 600 birds were entered.

A silver tray was donated by Lloyd E. Holsinger, association president, as a prize for the best bird. The State awarded silver trays to the winners in separate classes.

Asked your barber why he uses Post Shave Cream?

Staunton to Have Presidential Ball.—Staunton, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Charles K. Brown, member of city council, has been designated general chairman in Staunton for the "Birth Day Ball for the President" by Col. Henry L. Doherty, National chairman.

Five thousand communities are expected to cooperate in celebrating the President's fifty-second birthday anniversary by raising an endowment for the Georgia Warm Springs Foundation for infantile paralysis January 30.

Chairman Brown soon will announce committees.

New Kiwanis Head

DR. J. MORGAN BIEDLER, physician, who last night was installed as twelfth president of the Harrisonburg Kiwanis Club. He succeeds Clarence A. Mason. Dr. Biedler was a member of the original board of directors of the club. Dr. Henry A. Converse, former Capital District governor, is secretary.

Delegates Flay Supreme Court In West Virginia.—"Impeachment" Cry Heard in Tax Decision Fight; Land "Racket" Hit.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Fred L. Fox, State tax commissioner, today said a petition for a rehearing by the State Supreme Court of its recent decision upholding the debt-assumption plan of putting the State levy-limiting agreement amendment into operation would be filed today or tomorrow. The petition was prepared by the attorney general's office at Fox's request.

An amendment also has been filed by Judge John H. Hatcher to his opinion dissenting from the three-to-two decision of the court holding State assumption of local bonded debts to be unconstitutional. In this he holds that objections to school indebtedness should not apply to road bonds, as State taxes are collected for the roads from the bonded and unbonded communities alike.

Declaring that 33 counties face receiverships, Speaker Ralph M. Hiner today began a fight to force a legislative request for speedy action on a resolution by Chairman A. J. Lubliner (Democrat) Mercer, of the finance committee.

A furious debate that brought open criticism of the Supreme Court followed in which cries of "impeachment" resounded through the chamber.

Delegates asserted by Delegate Frank R. Hill (Democrat), Pocahontas, that the original tax collection plan overthrown last summer "is constitutional."

Edgar B. Sims, State auditor, today handed the House a report in which he attacked the system of Commissioners of Forfeited Lands. He called it an "iniquitous system which has been a continual drag upon the State general school fund and has apparently benefited no one except school commissioners and their cronies in chancery and attorneys."

Sims reported a total deficit of \$892,140.69.

The Senate approved a bill enabling municipalities to borrow Federal funds for water works, but struck out a clause exempting revenue bonds for repayment from taxation.

System Called "Racket."—Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 5 (P.).—The West Virginia Legislature was told today that a delinquent land "racket" operates in the State, costing the taxpayers and the Government hundreds of thousands of dollars.

State Auditor Edgar B. Sims said the "racket" is operated by school commissioners, whose duty it is to sell tax-delinquent property to the State for school purposes.

Instead, he charged, the money has been dissipated in charges and fees and in some counties there have been cases of actual embezzlement.

Telling the Legislature his office has launched a drive to clear up the accounts, Sims said most of the \$134,000 collected in the last dozen years has been paid in since last March.

Some of the commissioners are in trouble, the auditor reported. In three counties indictments charging misappropriation and embezzlement have been returned. In another county, \$14,000 is unaccounted for and the commissioner "has left the State," he added, declaring that in another the "commissioner absconded with more than \$18,000."

Highway Director Sees Gray Future.—Richmond, Jan. 5 (P.).—State Highway Commissioner Henry G. Shirley today looked gloomily at the prospects for primary road system construction during the next fiscal year.

He said the outlook was no better than it was at the beginning of the current year, before the public works allocation for highway construction was made.

Primary highway money reached its low point this year, owing to diversion to county roads and other purposes. But when it seemed construction would have to stop a public works allotment of \$740,000 put the department back to work. During the next fiscal year the department is under obligations to pay \$700,000, due as part payment of the \$6,953,863 it owes the Federal Government.

Clan Mourns.—Harrisonburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Mrs. Susan McDonald Harper, 90, mother of 20 children, 15 of whom survive, is dead.

Mrs. Harper was the widow of Jacob C. Harper.

All except one of Mrs. Harper's children lived to be adults. She was one of the oldest residents of Pendleton County, W. Va.

West Virginia Mother of 20 Children Dies.

Woman Vanishes From Coast Ship.—Baltimore, Jan. 5 (P.).—A woman whose name was given as Mrs. Sadie Helen Anchor disappeared from the Merchants & Miners steamship Fairfax off the Carolina coast last night.

Her home address was not stated, nor where she boarded the vessel.

The Fairfax was making its regular run from Miami to Baltimore, with stops at Jacksonville and Savannah. The steamship company expects further details tomorrow.

Business Failures Blamed for Suicide.—Winchester, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—J. Herbert Athey, 39, war veteran, shot and killed himself today at his home here, leaving a note asking his wife to forgive him.

Friends said he was despondent over financial reverses.

His wife and her mother, Mrs. M. A. Erle, heard the shot from an adjoining room. They found him dying. Authorities said an inquest was unnecessary. The widow, two brothers, and a sister survive.

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Court Rejects Pleas of Park Land Objector

Appraisal Upheld and Jury Hearing Denied in Shenandoah Case.

Harrisonburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Far-reaching rulings bearing on valuation placed on Rockingham National Park area by the appraisal board for the State Conservation and Development Commission, were made in Rockingham Circuit Court here yesterday when Judge H. W. Berman rejected two motions by counsel for Vernon Foltz, of Page County.

One motion was to throw out the appraisal of the Foltz land, and the other to grant a jury hearing on the appraisal.

Foltz's land is a grazing tract on Skyline Drive. Robert Keyser, counsel for Foltz, stated the land cost \$9,000 without improvements and the appraisal board valued it at \$5,000.

Keyser said he would appeal to the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals. This court three years ago upheld the validity of the act under which vacation park land in the park area is made, and resulting condemnations.

There's money waiting August County landowners, but apparently they don't want it.

Judge Joseph A. Glasgow, of Augusta Circuit Court, and Court Clerk Earl McF. Taylor have made repeated calls for owners of condemned lands in the Shenandoah National Park area to present petition for payment to the court for certification. Few have complied.

Granges Install At Leitersburg.

Leitersburg, Md., Jan. 6 (Sp.).—A joint installation of officers of the Leitersburg and Mount View Granges of Smithsburg, was held at the Grange Hall here, with the installation exercises in charge of Robert Ridenour, Leitersburg, assisted by Mrs. Keller Hartle, Mrs. Charles Lehman and Mrs. Charles Williams.

The following officers were installed: Mount View Grange—Walter Bromley, president; Kate Ridenour, secretary; Mrs. Fae Wyand, lecturer; Harry Wolfe, steward; Waldo Rowe, assistant steward; Samuel Ridenour, chairman; Ellen Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Louella Pound, secretary; Edward Ridenour, chaplain; Mrs. Anne Ridenour, clerk; Mrs. Katherine Ridenour, reporter; Mrs. Blanche Smith, reporter; Mrs. Ruth Ridenour, lady assistant steward; and Walter Bromley, member executive committee.

Leitersburg Grange—Keller Hartle, president; Mrs. Charles Lehman, secretary; Mrs. Charles Williams, lecturer; Charles Williams, steward; Robert Hartle, assistant steward; William Webb, chairman; W. B. Newcomer, treasurer; Robert Hartle, chaplain; Mrs. Butterbaugh, gate keeper; Mrs. C. Spencer, clerk; Mrs. Harry Wolfe, reporter; Mrs. Robert Hartle, reporter; Anna M. Ridenour, lady assistant steward; and Walter Bromley, member executive committee.

Cattle Test Voted In Clarke County.—The Clarke County Board of Supervisors has voted to have all cattle, 4 months old and upward, tested for tuberculosis. The testing will be carried on by men from the Virginia State Health Department with one man from this section assisting. The cost of the work to the county is estimated at \$200.

At the same meeting the supervisors requested State Senator T. Russell Cather and Delegate E. Blackburn Moore to submit in the next session of the Legislature a bill for Clarke County providing that dogs be confined within an inclosure from sunset to sunrise. The measure is designed to lessen the killing of sheep.

Staunton Boasts Best Tax Record.

Staunton, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Records show Staunton has the best payment record of 24 cities in Virginia.

This city's ratio of true delinquency to total assessments for the last tax year was 4.48 per cent, the lowest assessment being \$186,919, true delinquency being only \$4,369. The average delinquency in the 24 cities was 18.74 per cent.

The average in Virginia was 21.53 per cent. Augusta County had the true local tax delinquency of 14.39 per cent. Augusta's assessments totaled \$289,800, with a delinquent list showing \$43,312.

Front Royal Fire Department Elects.

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The Relief Fire Department, a volunteer organization here, elected new officers last night.

They are J. H. Shiner, chief; Roy Smith, lieutenant; E. T. Whitworth, first foreman; E. T. Shiner, second foreman; Frank Stoutmeyer, third foreman; L. B. Cary, treasurer, and Johnnie March, secretary. Garth Payne was elected to membership.

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Postmaster

THOMAS E. FRANK, mayor of Warrenton, Va., who also has assumed office as postmaster, succeeding John B. Grayson, who held the job for 26 terms under Republican administrations. Since 1900 Frank has been publisher of the biweekly Fauquier Democrat. From 1911 to 1919 he was assistant chief clerk of the House of Representatives. He is regarded as the original Roosevelt supporter in Warrenton.

Wounded Wife Says Husband Fired Shots.

Hagerstown, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Mrs. Catherine Koons, 33, believed dying from a bullet wound in the abdomen received last night, told State's Attorney J. Lloyd Harshman her husband, E. Russell Koons, 34, shot

1934 District Auto License Deadline 1 P.M.

Tags Must Be On Cars, or Fines Possible; Huge Rush Foreseen.

District motorists have until 1 p.m. today to get 1934 license tags or face the possibility of traffic court fines.

More than 1,200 motorists thronged the Traffic Bureau's offices. Large numbers are expected before closing at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

In previous years the District has insisted motorists display new tags New Year's Day. Officials extended the deadline a week.

Most of the applicants in the last-minute rush for titles forgot to notify the Traffic Bureau of changes in address, Assistant Traffic Director M. O. Eldridge said yesterday.

Meanwhile, plans for a new traffic light system at Thomas Circle awaited abatement of the tag rush. The tentative program to make Thirtieth street northwest a one-way thoroughfare during morning and late afternoon rush hours will be worked out shortly, Eldridge added.

3,391 Banks Given RFC Insurance Aid

Harvey C. Couch, a Reconstruction Finance Corporation director, reported to President Roosevelt yesterday that the corporation has assisted 3,391 banks not members of the Federal Reserve System to qualify for deposit insurance, the Associated Press says.

Couch said all of the banks, which are State institutions, needed assistance and that a total of \$248,273,350 of capital notes and preferred stock was purchased.

These purchases ranged from \$1,000 for a small country bank to \$7,500,000 each for a bank in Brooklyn, N. Y., and one in Philadelphia.

Young Rifle Owners Told of Safety Code

District children who received rifles as Christmas gifts have been reminded by the National Rifle Association of its code for safety in handling firearms.

The code, says the organization, has prevented many accidents among junior members of the association, who have an amazing safety record.

Culbertson on Bridge

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The Time Factor.

(Copyright, 1934, by Ely Culbertson.) One of the least understood, and most underestimated factors in the play of a hand at Contract Bridge is the factor of Time. Actually, the entire game is built around this principle.

The race is one of suit-establishment—the effort of the defending players on the one hand to establish low-cards in their long suits as opposed to the effort of the Declarer to establish his own long-suit tricks.

The Declarer has one advantage—namely, the choice of the eventual declaration. The defending players have one compensating advantage—namely the choice of the suit which is to be opened and the card in that suit which is to be the Opening lead.

As the play develops, the fortunes of war may turn first to one side and then to the other; but usually in Contract, as in actual war, God, as a leader of another century observed, fights on the side of the heaviest battalions. Sometimes Providence is given a push in war, and the same influence may turn defeat into victory at the Contract table, as was the case in the hand below, which was played at a recent Duplicate game at Crockford's Club, New York.

West Dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

♠ K 8 2
♥ K J 7
♦ 8 7
♣ A Q J 6 5
N
W E
S
♠ 10 6 3
♥ 8 5
♦ Q 8 3
♣ K 4 3

♠ A 9 5
♥ A 10 6 5
♦ Q J 9
♣ 10 9 7

The bidding:
South West North East
Pass 1♣ Pass
2NT Pass 3NT Pass
Pass Pass

West's Opening lead was the diamond 4, upon which the 7 was played from the Dummy, and East won the trick with the King. Upon this trick South played the 9. East, of course, returned the diamond 5, and the Declarer played the Knave. At this point success or failure of the contract rests upon the ploy of West, the Opening leader. Obviously, the hand contains no reentry, and it is reasonably apparent to him that South can not win 9 tricks, the number necessary to fulfill his contract of three notrump, without establishing the club suit. If the club suit is solid, there is nothing for the Declarer to worry about. His contract is assured. However, if there is a finesse necessary to establish the clubs, West knows from his own holding that it will fail.

The play of the diamond suit indicated that East and South each had one diamond remaining. Therefore West, taking all these factors into consideration, wisely refused to win the diamond return with the Ace, because, in such an event he could never regain the lead. The entry, if any, to permit him to make his low cards was through his partner's obtaining the lead while he still held a card of West's own suit. With West holding up his Ace and East leading diamonds after getting in with the club King, South could not possibly make three-odd.

Two spades were available, a maximum of four hearts, the diamond trick already won, and the club Ace. No more than eight tricks could be taken without surrendering

Capitol Squirrels Get Nut Supply



Post Staff Photo.

Someone, alarmed at reports something may be done about the startling nuisance at the Capitol, became concerned suddenly with welfare of squirrels and sent Capt. William S. Orthman, the Hill's police chief, a large batch of hickory nuts with instructions to feed them to all the bushytails. His force will comply with the request, Capt. Orthman said yesterday.

the lead; and West, by his refusal, mounds assured the defeat of the to win the second round of dia- contract.

King Reveals Naval Air Plans To Build Up 1,000-Plane Force

Limit Will Be Reached by Program During '35 Fiscal Year.

(United Press.)

Naval aviation, by an extensive construction program, will be brought up to the full 1,000-plane limit fixed by Congress during the 1935 fiscal year, Rear Admiral Ernest J. King, chief of naval aeronautics, said yesterday.

The policy of maintaining the air forces at full fighting levels follows the Navy Department's recently announced five-year building program to spend \$500,000,000. The budget now before Congress proposes expenditures of \$4,131,000 during 1935 for aircraft construction.

Admiral King said, however, that unless prices of materials rose unexpectedly, the appropriations would be sufficient.

The last official report showed there were 919 serviceable planes, although about 250 were classified as obsolete last year. To offset this, the Navy received a NRE appropriation of \$7,500,000 for 130 planes, most of which has been spent.

Admiral King has recommended that provision should be made for full aircraft complement of all new ships to prevent a drain on the 1,000 limit.

The British naval air strength is listed at 260 planes, French 228, and Italian 327. These figures apply to planes carried aboard ships, whereas the bulk of American planes are based at shore stations, which the other powers do not maintain. To offset this, they maintain large army forces.

Japan, officers said, outranks the United States in naval aircraft with a listed strength of 1,322 planes. It also maintains naval shore stations.

Baker Alumni to Have School Head as Guest

The Washington Baker Club will have as its guest of honor at its banquet Monday evening Dr. Wallace B. Fleming, president of Baker University. The meeting is under direction of A. P. Myers, president of the local club.

Among prominent Baker University alumni here are P. P. Campbell, Joseph L. Bristol, and W. C. Markham, secretary of the State Highway Association.

Homes for 500 Planned.

Homes for 500 families in Jasper and Putnam Counties, Ga., will be provided in a subsistence homestead project announced yesterday by Interior Secretary Ickes.

Japanese Prosperous, Rep. Tinkham Reports

New York, Jan. 5 (U.P.)—Japan was characterized as the only country enjoying prosperity today, and the only united country in the world, by Representative George Holden Tinkham (Republican), Massachusetts, when he arrived here late last night aboard the liner Europa.

Tinkham, who is a member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, completed a trip around the world, which started last July 23. He covered 34,000 miles, 12,000 by airplane. Tinkham said Japan was the only country he found 100 per cent opposed to Communism.

Home Loans Speeded, \$103,257,858 Paid Out

Loans to home owners by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation proceeded at the rate of 1,200 loans the last week of December, more than double the rate for the last week of November, according to the Associated Press.

The corporation announced yesterday that \$103,257,858 in loans were closed and paid out on \$36,210 urban homes from the corporation's inception to December 31.

Ickes Allots 11 Millions.

Allotments totaling \$11,400,700, for 62 more non-Federal projects, were announced yesterday by Public Works Administrator Ickes.

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Is Your Evening Attire Correct



Lapels are a trifle bolder... coat tails are a trifle longer... bow ties are narrow... shirts are single-cuffed, with two-stud bosoms... these are a few of the imperceptible changes in men's evening clothes during the past year. And for the many formal and informal occasions during this new era of gay affairs, one can not be too meticulous in perfection of dress.

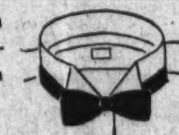
THE TUXEDO meets the requirements of young men, for comfort and enduring good looks. Coat and trousers of fine black
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Young Men's and Youths' Tailcoats \$37.50
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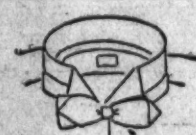
Informal Formal

Neckties

Black silk ties—with pointed or square ends—must always be worn outside the collar points \$1



White bow ties—of material that matches shirt or vest—in long effect, with pointed ends \$1.50



Shirts

Stiff-bosom—ribbed effect—shirts, showing two studs spaced equally between vee-point of vest and collar \$3



Two-stud, stiff-bosom white pique shirts, in simple design. Starched single cuffs \$3.50

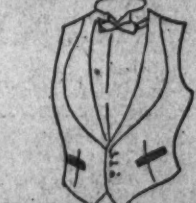


Vests

Black brocaded vests—single-breasted, vee opening style. Also white vests find popular approval. \$8.50



Single-breasted white vests are favored this season. Tailored from small patterned fabrics \$7.50

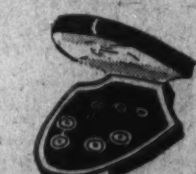


Jewelry

Spoked pearl dress sets—three studs (only two to be used) and cuff links \$4.50

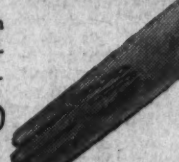


White imitation pearl dress sets—three studs (only two to be used) and cuff links \$4.50



Gloves

Gray mocha gloves, with an undeniable air of distinction. Black embroidered backs \$3.50



White gloves, of close-fitting, soft kid, with wrist button \$3



Hose

Fine quality black silk socks—full-fashioned—with white clocks \$1



Plain black silk socks—full-fashioned—are heavy enough not to be transparent. \$1

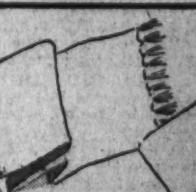


Mufflers

Fine silk scarfs—in canary or white—worn ascot for smart appearance \$5
White Linen Handkerchiefs 50c and \$1



Fine white silk scarfs with fringe, add a final touch of smartness to your evening attire \$5
White Linen Handkerchiefs 50c and \$1



Hats

Collapsible opera hats are desirable for informal occasions. Also silk hats \$15



High silk hats, with fairly narrow curled brims. Also opera hats \$15



Shoes

Dull-finish calf oxfords are the popular choice for informal occasions. Also patent leather ties \$8



Dress oxfords, of black patent leather, with plain toes \$8
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MILLINERY, THIRD FLOOR.

News of Activities and Coming Events in Capital Churches and Religious Societies

Albert Atwood To Open Series At St. Alban's

Sunday Evening Services Conducted by Laymen Begin Tomorrow.

Albert W. Atwood, writer on financial and economic subjects, will speak at the first of a series of special Sunday evening services at 8 p. m. tomorrow in St. Alban's Parish Church, on Wisconsin avenue near Massachusetts avenue northwest. His subject will be, "What Christianity Means to Me."

H. Lawrence Choate, former national president of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will conduct the service. The Brotherhood Chapter in St. Alban's parish is sponsoring this series.

Hymns will be sung. There will be no offering. The service is open to the general public and to all members of the church.

The rector of the parish, the Rev. Charles T. Warner, D. D., will take part in the service and offer the closing prayers.

Speakers on subsequent Sunday evenings this month will be Dr. Arthur C. Christie of the Metropolitan Methodist Church; Coleman Jennings, of St. John's Church, Lafayette Square, and the Hon. Huston Thompson, of the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant.

Bishop Moore to Preach At Mount Vernon Place.

Bishop Arthur J. Moore, who will preach at the Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church South tomorrow morning, is in charge of the Pacific Coast Conference of this denomination.

He was elected to the episcopacy on the first ballot by the last general conference. He formerly was pastor of the First Methodist Church South, Birmingham, Ala. Bishop Moore is now visiting the Baltimore Conference in connection with the work of the Kingdom Extension movement, of which he has charge.

Dr. A. C. Miller will occupy the pulpit at 8 o'clock. He is editor of the *Arkansas Methodist* and is now attending the convention of the Antislavery League of America, of which he is a member of the national executive committee.

Relation of Evangelism To Public Affairs, Topic.

"Public Affairs and Evangelical Christianity" will be the theme of a series of morning sermons by Dr. Rufus W. Weaver at the First Baptist Church, The first in the series tomorrow morning will be on "The Highest Patriotism."

His evening sermons during January will be on "The Attitudes of Jesus," as expressed in His teachings and illustrated in incidents from His life. His subject tomorrow evening, the first of this series, will be "Jesus Faces the New Year."

The board of deacons will meet at the church Monday evening. The Ann Jackson class will meet at the church at 8 p. m. Monday. The Euzellian class will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Marie Stroud.

Rev. Liotard Announces French Sermon Topic.

"L'Adoration des Rois Mages" will be the subject of the sermon by the Rev. Andre Frank Liotard at the French services at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Cathedral Changes Time Of Services Tomorrow.

The principal Sunday morning service at Washington Cathedral will be changed from 11:30 to 11 o'clock, beginning tomorrow, according to an announcement authorized by the Right Rev. James E. Freeman. The service will consist of a shortened form of morning prayer with celebration of the Holy Communion and sermon. Cathedral authorities hope the new hour will prove more convenient for worshippers.

The sermon tomorrow morning will be delivered by the Rev. G. Freeman Peter.

In place of the usual evensong service at 4 o'clock, the Cathedral choir of men and boys will give the Christmas cantata, "The Story of Bethlehem," under direction of Edgar Priest, organist and choir master.

"Judge Not," Sermon Topic Of Rev. Frederic Perkins.

"Judge Not," is the topic of a sermon the Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, D. D., of the Universalist National Memorial Church, will give tomorrow morning. The church school will meet at 10:15 a. m., with the exception of the adult class, which meets following the church service.

Dr. Perkins returns this morning from a week in Boston, where he had been noonday preacher at the services in King's Chapel. He attended the meeting of the Council of Free Church Fellowship in Boston Wednesday.

Vedanta Society Leader To Talk on Occultism.

The Vedanta Society, 1712 N. street northwest, will hold a service at 8 p. m. tomorrow, and the leader, Swami Vividhananda, will lecture on "Occultism—True and False." Tuesday at 8 p. m. the Upanishads will be taught, and Thursday at 8 p. m. the Swami will give lessons on Raja Yoga, Hindu psychology.

Rev. DeBerry to Speak At Howard University.

The Rev. William N. DeBerry, executive of the Dunbar Community League, Springfield, Mass., will speak at the Howard University religious services in the Andrew Franklin Memorial Chapel tomorrow. Dr. DeBerry attended the 1933 and 1934 annual conferences of the Howard University.

Dr. DeBerry received the first award of the Harmon Foundation for outstanding religious service in 1927, and in

World Renews Magi Quest

Spiritual Want of Modern Era Presents Parallel to Unrest at Time of Wise Men's Search for Christ Child, as Related in Book of Matthew.

By William T. Ellis.

Once upon a time there was a politician, an officerholder, whose position paid him a large income, including a goodly share of what is called "honest graft." For his sort, he was an unusually high-grade man, who had no sold his soul to the devil. He instinctively thought in terms of politics, governments and popular movement. And always he wished to find a better life for himself and for the public than the rather sordid one he knew.

This man, who is known to history by the names of Levi and Matthew, was a tax collector, or publican, under the Roman government, in the Province of Galilee. One day, while busy on his job, he was spotted by Jesus, the new teacher from Nazareth, and called to give up his position and to become a full-time disciple. Matthew, who, of course, already knew of Jesus, was not one to do things by halves. He quit this tax-collecting position straightaway and that night gave his feast for his new Master to celebrate the event. He makes no mention of the banquet in the book which he later wrote.

For he did, long years after, write a book about Jesus, out of his own personal experiences and intimacy with Him; and that book is called to be studied for six months by the many millions of members of the Sunday school.

A Palm-Springing Reporter.

It is the first of the four Gospels in the New Testament. It bears many marks of the author's training as a public man—his interest in officialdom and his far-seeing way of looking at things; and his carefulness concerning records, as shown by the genealogy with which the book opens. His narrative is rather more austere than those of Luke and John; and he seems to have had the Jews ever in mind as he wrote; for he saw in Jesus the fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy. Matthew's Gospel, which most gives the direct teachings of Jesus, is often called "the Gospel of the Kingdom."

To Matthew alone we owe the story of the Magi, the Wise Men from the East, who followed the Christmas Star to Bethlehem. He tells us that the Magi were of the devious ways of officialdom, and that crafty ruler's relationship to the incident. Herod, like all tyrants, lived in constant fear of being supplanted.

From the exactness of the author's details, we know that the Holy Family had by this time moved from the Bethlehem inn, and were lodged in a house, probably of a relative. After the wonder-tale of the shepherds there would be no lack of homes open to the Babe and His mother, Matthew makes clear that a considerable margin of time had elapsed since the birth; for Herod put the age limit of Bethlehem babies to be destroyed at 2 years. So the Christmas pictures showing the Magi at the manger are all wrong.

Scholars of Persia.

Since the bright shadow of Christmas is still upon us, we feel a timely interest in the tale of these three rich and mighty astrologers from Chaldea. They represent the wisdom of the East at its best. For they were Seekers, studying the stars to search out the meaning of things. The Magi stand for the scholarly type of character, never more numerous than today, which pursues truth daringly and dauntlessly.

In imagination we behold the large and sumptuous caravan of the Wise Men setting forth from their Persian home, down by the River Tigris, following a wonder-stair which they had interpreted as the sign of a new King who had come. They knew the common expectation of the world, and they came, and of a new day to dawn for mankind.

With our vague notions of geography, present-day readers give no heed to the long, hard journey between Babylon and Bethlehem. Now the trip may be made by motor in 24 hours; and I have done so. Recently a unique motor bus of huge size with 18 wheels, having provision for sleeping, and insulated against desert heat, was built in Cleveland for this Baghdad-Damascus run.

World Disturbed Again.

But the Magi had to go by camel, traveling by night and resting by day; in peril from robbers, from

1928 he received the Pynchon Medal awarded by the city of Springfield for conspicuous public service.

Percy S. Foster Memorial Unveiling Set Friday.

A bronze tablet in memory of Percy S. Foster will be unveiled and dedicated in a special service at the National Baptist Memorial Church at 8 p. m. Friday.

Dr. Daniel A. Poling, president of the World's Christian Endeavor Union, will speak.

An organ recital and song service will be conducted by Mr. and Mrs. George F. Ross. Among those who will take part in the exercises are W. L. Darby, Miss Monette Hallam and Mrs. Ethel Foster Shannon.

The memorial tablet, made by W. T. Carrigan, Jr., Washington and New York sculptor, bears a profile medallion of Mr. Foster with his name, the years of his birth and his death (1863-1928) and the following inscription:

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standstoms and all the other mishaps of the changeless desert. They were doubtless weeks on the way—with ponderings and consultations during wayside halts.

In the midst of the story we pause to consider the parallel between the times of the Wise Men and today. We are in the thick of a worldwide unrest and of a search for something more, something better. All of the postwar changes among the nations may be interpreted in these terms. Universal discontent is expressed itself by change, and by a search for a worthier life for mankind. Beneath the present ferment in America any observer may see this spiritual quest.

President Roosevelt has said: "The people of the United States still realize, and I believe, recognize with firmer faith than ever before, that spiritual values count in the long run more than material values."

"The spirit of America springs from faith—faith in the beloved institutions of our land, and in abiding faith in the divine guidance of God."

Spiritual Goals.

All the goals that figure so largely in public discussion today—the abolition of unemployment and poverty, a fairer distribution of the rewards of life, a more brotherly relationship among all men and nations, the end of war and private lawlessness, and the fuller expression of every human personality—are really spiritual goals. Man's seeking spirit in this present time is akin to the motive of the Magi. They sought a King—and found a Babe. We seek a remade world—and find that only the new sovereignty of the Saviour before whom the Chaldean seems worshiped in Bethlehem can bring it to us.

In spite of Herod, and everything else, the star-led seekers found the new King. Lesser men than they would have been disconcerted by the fact that He was only a babe. But the wisest of men, even those who bent in adoration and poured forth their gifts of gold, frankincense and myrra—gifts of such practical value that they enabled Joseph to flee from Herod's impending sword to Egypt and his sojourn there until the tyrant died.

As I have traversed the stormy wastes of the Sinai Peninsula, my thoughts have been of Abraham and of Joseph and of Moses and the Israelites and of Elijah, trudging this bitter way; but mostly they have been of the Holy Family, for whom there had been no room in Bethlehem's inn, and later, no room in all the Judea of their fathers, as they slowly moved, beneath blazing sun, the land of refuge. Eventually the three saw the pyramids and the Sphinx and the Nile. No wonder Jesus, grown, never followed the fashion of the Old Testament promise in speaking harsh words about Egypt, the country that had sheltered him.

Sentence Sermons.

My first wish is to see the whole world in peace, and the inhabitants of it as one band of brothers, striving to contribute most to the happiness of mankind.—Washington.

A drop of honey catches more flies than a hoghead of vinegar.—Old Proverb.

Search thy own heart; what paineth thee.

In others, in thyself may be.—Anon.

Do not anxiously hope for what is not yet come; do not vainly regret what is already past.—Chinese Proverb.

Love worketh no ill to his neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.—Romans 13:10.

'Tis not in seeking striving. 'Tis not in endless striving. Thy quest is found: Be still and listen; Be still and drink The quiet of all around.

—Edward Rowland Sill.

What the woman is to be within her gates, as the center of order, the balm of distress, and the mirror of beauty, that she is also to be without her gates, where order is the difficult, distress more imminent, loveliness more rare.—John Ruskin.

The International Sunday School Lesson for January 14 is: "The Baptism and Temptation of Jesus."—Matt. 3:1-4:11.

While I live will I praise the Lord; I will sing praises unto my God while I have any being.—Psalm 113:1.

A Tribute From His Friends

The initiative in the erection of the memorial was taken by the District of Columbia Christian Endeavor Alumni Fellowship, of which Mr. Foster was the first president.

Mr. Foster, who lived in Richmond, had spent most of his life in Washington, had a notable career as director of large chorus choirs, beginning with the Moody and Sankey evangelistic meetings in Washington in 1883. He probably was best known throughout the country for his work at the great International Christian Endeavor conventions. He was active in Washington civic and business circles and organized and conducted choruses in connection with presidential inauguration ceremonies.

Evangelism Conference Scheduled on Monday.

A one-day conference on evangelism will be held Monday at the First Congregational Church under the auspices of the Washington Federation of Churches and the Department of Evangelism of the Federal City.

Dr. Jesse M. Bader, of New York, will preside at a session at 10 a. m. Dr. R. H. Miller, new pastor of National City Christian Church; Dr.

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Bishop Ernest G. Richardson, of the Philadelphia district of the Methodist Church, will be the guest speaker at the evening service tomorrow at Douglas Memorial Methodist Church, of which the Rev. Clarence H. Corkran is pastor.

"God" Is Lesson-Sermon Topic of Scientists.

"God" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist, tomorrow. The golden text is from Isaiah 37:16, "O Lord of Hosts, God of Israel, that dwellest between the cherubim, thou art the God, even thou alone, of all the kingdoms of the earth; thou hast made heaven and earth."

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prise the Lesson-Sermon is the fol-

lowing from the Bible: "Bring ye

all the tithes into the storehouse,

that there may be meat in mine

house, and prove me now herewith,

saieth the Lord of hosts, if I will

open you the windows of heaven

and pour you out a blessing, that

there shall not be room enough to

receive it. And I will rebuke the

devourer for your sakes, and he

shall not destroy the fruits of your

ground; neither shall your vine cast

her fruit before the time in the

field, saith the Lord of hosts. And

for all nations shall call you blessed:

for ye shall be a delightful land,

saieth the Lord of hosts." (Malachi

3:10-12.)

The Lesson-Sermon also includes

the following passage from the

Christian Science textbook, "Science

and Health With Key to the

Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:

"Spirit blesses man, but man can

not tell whence it cometh." By it

the sick are healed, the sorrowing

are comforted and the sinning are

reformed. These are the effects of

one universal God, the invisible

good dwelling in eternal Science."

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"The Value of Tomorrow,"

Dr. Blackwelder's Topic.

Dr. Oscar F. Blackwelder, pastor

of the Church of the Reformation,

will speak on "The Value of To-

morrow," at the 11 a. m. service

Sunday.

Plans for laying the corner stone

at the East Capitol street edifice

are being perfected. In the mean-

time, through the courtesy of War-

ner Bros. church and Sunday

school services are being held in

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sylvania avenue and Seventh street

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The Luther League will meet in

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New Testament Retranslation Claimed to End Much Confusion

Greeks Made Errors in Adapting Gospels, Says Assyrian Scholar.

(Associated Press.)

"It is easier for a rope (not a camel as recorded in the King James version of the Bible) to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God."

That is what Jesus told his Apostles, as stated in St. Matthew, according to a new translation of the Gospels from the Aramaic, the language of Jesus, by George M. Lamsa, a native Assyrian. Lamsa, a graduate of the Archbishop of Canterbury's Mission College in Persia and of the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, Va., contends the language in which the Gospels originally were written was the native Galilean Aramaic and not Greek.

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An Important Birthday.

Not long ago it was seriously suggested in London that a statue be erected, of course on Baker street, to Sherlock Holmes. The valid point was made that to millions of people the famous detective is far more of a reality than the majority of dukes, statesmen and warriors whose marble and granite emblems clutter the corners of Britain's capital. And it was further pointed out that erection of the statue would help to make Holmes an actual personage—that if he seemed to have lived to those who passed his statue half a century hence he could be said actually to have lived as a citizen of that London which he loved so well.

Many who would not care to pursue this argument to its philosophical depths will nevertheless be excited to hear that research on this side of the Atlantic has now fixed the birthday of Sherlock Holmes as of January 6—today. The date is nowhere mentioned by his faithful biographer, Dr. Watson, but sedulous study combined with judicious assistance from astrological portents seems to have established, beyond reasonable doubt, that it coincides with Epiphany. To celebrate this the "Baker Street Irregulars" are today being established as a New York luncheon club, scheduled to meet not merely every January 6, but also on other dates outstanding in the Holmes chronology.

Full information as to the purposes of the club awaits its initial meeting. But we have it from a sponsor that a minor activity will be the creation of a "searching cocktail" to be known as the Sherlock Holmes. And there are those who already advocate that a further concoction be dedicated to the memory of Sherlock's brother, Mycroft. He, it will be recalled, had an intelligence even more subtle and potent than that of Dr. Watson's deathless hero.

From Missouri.

When, in November, a mob at San Jose, Calif., took two men out of jail and lynched them, Gov. Rolfe made the unforgivable observation, "California has given the Nation a lesson." Now, in sharp contrast, Missouri is giving the country the only sort of lesson worth having in such matters.

A grand jury at St. Joseph has indicted 11 persons in connection with the lynching of Lloyd Warner, a young Negro, on November 28. Seven of them have been arrested and are in jail in default of heavy bond. Not content merely to return indictments, the grand jury denounced the "mob lynching scene with its horrifying and dreadful details," called it a blot upon the community; demanded the removal of the sheriff and police officers who had failed to protect their prisoner, and scored bystanders who had made no effort to rescue the prisoner. "Let the court do its duty," the grand jury enjoined. "Let the governor do his duty."

The injunction of the Missouri grand jury ought to be heard in California and on the Eastern Shore. A grand jury is to be convened at San Jose on January 11 to investigate the lynching, but there is no prospect of indictments, according to District Attorney Fred Thomas, because of the governor's attitude. On the Eastern Shore, there is perhaps even less likelihood of indictments, though not for lack of a courageous attitude on the part of Gov. Ritchie. Only in Missouri has there been any clear-cut meeting of the challenge to civilization presented by lawless mobocrats.

More Merit, Fewer Spoils.

A large measure of sound advice is contained in the annual report of the Civil Service Commission. Its recommendations are particularly significant at a time when the Administration is building up large organizations without the aid of the merit system. No specific criticism was aimed at the revival of the spoils system in Washington, but the commission observes that agencies familiar with the advantages of the competitive civil service have filled their unclassified positions from the commission's list of eligibles while "most of those temporary agencies which are entirely new have not done so."

In accordance with past recommendations from the commission, President Roosevelt instructed Postmaster General Farley several months ago to prepare a bill bringing first, second and third class postmasters under the classified civil service law. The commission thinks that collectors of customs, collectors of internal revenue, deputy marshals, most attorneys and other officers who are not obliged to determine policies should also be brought within the competitive system. While Congress is trying to eliminate loopholes in the law, it might

well consider the substitution of business training and efficiency for political pull in the appointment of tax collectors.

Veterans' preference in obtaining civil service positions also needs attention. Nearly one-third of the appointments made in 1933, the commission points out, were awarded on the basis of preference for military service. Under the present law certain individuals who enlisted in the military forces in peace time are entitled to preference in seeking civil service jobs. Veterans' preferences have been extended to a point where merit is often overshadowed by privilege. The question of limiting such special benefits ought to be met in all fairness to citizens who seek Federal positions on the basis of their experience and qualifications.

In The Dark.

A few weeks ago the National Economy League conservatively estimated the prospective Federal deficit for the current fiscal year at approximately \$4,000,000,000, less sinking fund requirements. This estimate, based on the assumption that no new expenditures would be authorized, turns out to be more than two billions below the total amount of uncovered expenditures "either appropriated for or for which appropriations have been asked," in the budget message. In computing the anticipated deficit, moreover, \$1,166,000,000 of expenditures must be included, in the budget estimates must be added, according to the President's statement.

Since new emergency spending during the first six months of the present fiscal year amounted to only \$1,165,525,000, there is considerable doubt whether the spending capacity of the governmental agencies can be speeded up sufficiently to produce a deficit in excess of \$7,000,000,000 by the end of June, 1934. In fact, a quite evident desire exists in certain quarters to minimize the scope of the spending program by alleging that the President has asked for more money than is needed and more than can be spent.

This kind of loose conjecture is deplorable. It plays directly into the hands of those advocates of spending who are hoping that Congress will authorize the executive branch of Government to make large discretionary disbursements without insisting upon a careful scrutiny and itemization of all appropriation measures, and an equally studious survey of the disposition to be made of sums already appropriated. In the absence of detailed information regarding the allocation of emergency funds, it is impossible to judge whether or not it is practical to disburse over \$6,000,000,000 during the next six months. The spending capacity of Government agencies during any given period depends to a large extent upon the character of the outlays.

The additional emergency outlays of approximately \$3,200,000,000 which the President asks Congress to appropriate for the fiscal years 1934 and 1935 are not itemized nor is any statement made concerning the purpose to which these sums would be devoted. On the contrary, the President, in referring to the emergency grant for the coming fiscal year, says that "no person can on this date definitely predict the total amount that will be needed nor the itemization of such an amount."

Such being the case, why should Congress be asked to vote lump sum appropriations that may or may not be required months hence, for purposes not specified and possibly not foreseen? Certainly there is no necessity for hasty action at the present time, as there was last March when Congress assembled in special session and bestowed upon the Executive the extraordinary powers which launched us upon a recovery program necessitating heavy expenditures.

Although the budget message has been called "brutally frank" it fails to disclose many facts upon which the public and Congress should be enlightened. It is forthright only in the emphasis placed upon the cost of the spending program which the President is asking Congress to approve.

The Police Power.

Aroused by outbreaks of lawlessness in many parts of the country in recent months, senators and representatives have brought to Capitol Hill with them quite a crop of measures to extend the powers of the Federal Government in dealing with criminals. In addition, the Department of Justice and a Senate committee headed by Senator Copeland will have suggestions.

It is not strange that new anti-crime legislation should be demanded when law enforcement agencies of some communities seem to have broken down. Yet the question of policing a Nation of widely diversified interests, with strong traditions of local self-government, can not be solved merely by the enactment of national laws. Repeal of the eighteenth amendment stands as an emphatic warning against the transfer of police powers to Washington. Congress ought to scrutinize with the utmost care any measure that would tend to weaken the responsibility of the States for preservation of law and order.

Senator Copeland has indicated that he will submit a bill which would greatly extend the authority of the Government. The most controversial provision would authorize Uncle Sam to intervene in any State or community if the Attorney General should decide that local government had failed to function. In view of the many demonstrations this country has witnessed, indicating that law enforcement can not be effective without the support of local public sentiment, this proposal appears to be a definite step in the wrong direction.

In many cases the trails of criminals cross State lines. Kidnaping victims are often taken from one State to another. Stolen automobiles may be quickly removed from the jurisdiction of local officers. In handling crimes of this type cooperation on the part of the Federal Government is undoubtedly necessary. It may be wise to strengthen the powers of the Department of Justice to fight against crimes of a strictly interstate character. But every move designed to throw the responsibility

for local enforcement of law upon the already burdened shoulders of Uncle Sam must be regarded with suspicion. The country is not faced with any emergency that would justify measures tending to break down the police powers of the States.

District Budgeting.

The District budget, as submitted to Congress, stands out in emphatic contrast to the Federal budget. While the Administration plans to spend more than three times its expected income, it makes provision for a large surplus in the District budget. Enormous Federal outlays for emergency purposes contrast with local estimates that are almost entirely confined to mere operating expenses. Instead of piling up enormous obligations, the District is entirely free of debt. It is curious that an Administration which is so unconcerned about National finance should lean backward to maintain a sound financial position in the District.

From this viewpoint Washington taxpayers are extremely fortunate. Not a cent of their money goes into interest or sinking funds. Every dollar appropriated is devoted to community service. It is of the utmost importance that this sound financial position be maintained. Nevertheless, the present budget raises the question as to where wise economy ceases and parsimony begins.

Department heads requested a total of \$44,897,000 to operate the District government next year. The Budget Bureau instructed the Commissioners to keep their estimates within \$26,710,000. Unable to comply with this request without seriously crippling some District agencies, the Commissioners asked for appropriations totaling \$39,484,000. The Budget Bureau trimmed these estimates to a total of \$35,821,000, part of the reduction being represented by the allowance for only 90 per cent instead of 100 per cent of employees' base salaries.

On the basis of the budget estimates the District will end the fiscal year 1935 with a surplus of \$5,443,000 to which must be added prospective revenue amounting to \$785,000 from liquor taxes, making a total surplus of \$6,228,000. Furthermore, these estimates are based on continuation of the \$5,700,000 Federal contribution, which appears to be unguilty low. Under these circumstances some of the improvements urgently needed by the District might well be included in the budget.

While funds for the construction of schools, bridges, sewers, streets, etc., have been sharply reduced during the last two years, Washington has been growing rapidly. The schools are particularly crowded, yet only a meager sum is allowed for three school building projects. An item for the proposed Anacostia Junior High School was eliminated by the Budget Bureau, in spite of the fact that Congress made an initial appropriation for this structure last year.

For a few years public improvements of this type may be neglected. But it is impossible for a growing city to live for any length of time on subsistence rations, without a serious deterioration of its standards in education, public health, police protection, etc. A constructive program of improvements might be carried on without jeopardizing the sound financial position of the District. The chief result of hoarding a surplus while urgent needs are ignored is a stronger disposition on the part of some members of Congress to chisel a little more off the diminishing lump sum.

Sic Transit.

The gentleman who first enunciated the principle that "everything that goes up has got to come down" had in mind the physical operations of the law of gravity, but the observation is applicable to baseball salaries, as well as to the stipends of railroad presidents.

In 1914, Babe Ruth, for instance, was earning a mere \$1,300. Two years later he was getting \$3,500 annually; in four years his salary had gone to \$20,000. Three years later he wangled \$52,000 out of Col. Ruppert, and the next season, after a record number of home runs, the beer baron paid him \$70,000. The Babe reached \$30,000 for the season of 1930 and 1931, but his legs slowed up while the depression didn't. For 1932 he got \$75,000; for last season \$52,500. Next year is perhaps his last season in baseball as a player. He does not expect to participate in more than 100 games. Moreover, he said somewhat resignedly the other day, "I expect to have to take a cut."

The end-of-his-high-salary and his playing days—is not far round the corner for the Babe. But his has been a grand and unrivaled sports career. He had more reason for ego than Louis XIV; he could have said truthfully: "The baseball, it is I."

Mile Posts

A Parade of the Past From the Files of The Post.

JANUARY 6, 1909.

SAILING FOR FRANCE, Orville Wright said he did not believe the airplane would ever take the place of the train or the steamship. He said that he and his brother would build planes to carry as many as five people and that later planes might be constructed to carry 15 or 20 persons, "but not much more."

JANUARY 6, 1914.

PEERESSES AND church dignitaries who had been invited to witness an exhibition of the tango dance, after it had been severely criticized in London, voted 731 to 21 that it was modest. One peeress wrote on her card that it was "so modest that I was bored to tears."

HENRY FORD announced he would distribute a \$10,000,000 bonus among his 28,000 employees in the form of double pay and that hours of work would be reduced from nine to eight daily.

JANUARY 6, 1924.

THE THERMOMETER stood at 2 above zero. THE RANCH owned by Mrs. Rosalie Evans in Mexico was burned by Obregon troops. A SURVEY showed that there were 1,249,000 unemployed in England, 860,000 in Germany, 443,000 in Russia and 1,383 in France. THE DUKE OF ATHOLL declined the Albanian throne, which had been refused previously by Jerome Bonaparte, William Leeds, Jr., and Harry F. Sinclair.



A Long Wait for a Mild Drink.

Letters to the Editor

On the Destruction of Trees in the Mall.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Instead of becoming "educated" to the plan pictured in The Post for "improvement" of the Mall through the wholesale slaughter of its stately and lovely trees, I am sickened to think that any project so shameful and wicked can possibly be allowed to proceed. Tree lovers should rise up en masse to prevent this abomination. Just because more than 30 years ago some one drew a stupid blue print plan, is that any reason for suddenly forcing it upon us at this late date before the protests of permanent citizens and taxpayers have a chance to be heard? When the McMillan plan was drawn the Mall had not attained its present beauty. What the vandals are overlooking is that it takes 50 years to make a tree—and 50 minutes to slaughter it.

Just what is the idea of this senseless project? Are there not hundreds of thousands of miles of raw highway all over this barren land through which cars can rush four abreast without destroying the very heart of our city's quiet shaded charm? I suppose the next step in the "improvement program" will be to slash through Rock Creek Park in rectangular gashes in order to speed up traffic. Such a great pity to leave a single natural curve or gracious tree in a landscape if we can just appropriate enough money to hack them away.

A chance Italian to whom I recently spoke said with tears in his eyes, "In Italy I think a man would be shot for cutting down even one of those old trees." And we call ourselves a civilized nation. MRS. CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL.

From the Wife of a Veteran of Two Wars.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: My husband served in the Spanish-American War as a volunteer lieutenant in the cause which involved the honor of his country. Though long past the age, he also served through the World War, doing yeoman service in drilling and recruiting. His father before him had given a lifetime to the regular service as a naval officer.

We never were money getters, but kept out of debt, and placed the principal we controlled in small annuities which should guard our old age from disaster. The income derived from these paid for comfortable, plain board and lodging; the pension accorded my husband for his years of service afforded us the "little more" which made the wide difference between mere existence and life worth having. Now my husband—73, with seriously impaired health—and I, a woman of 70, find ourselves suddenly deprived of that sorely needed and richly earned pension which paid for the filling of a decayed tooth, the replacement of worn flannels and met the deferred obligations assumed upon the basis of an income now withdrawn.

We are persons of education, too old to work, too proud to publish our plight and these recent holidays have been the bitterest of our long lives. With no near relatives, no family festivities were possible for us. I recently heard Mrs. Roosevelt speak from the platform upon the great need for something more than bread and meat in the lives of thinking, reasoning human beings. That we had bread and meat, even as the dogs of the neighborhood, was all we had for which to offer thanks on New Year's Day of 1934. The pension taken from us was not large, but while we had it, we were enabled to make the agreed-upon payments for household necessities and clothing. For these we are now hounded by the very merchants who sustained the Administration by their pledge to "do our

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part." Yet they fail to concede the evident point that a debt contracted in good faith upon the basis of an apparently certain income can not be met when that income is ruthlessly taken away.

It is daily growing more difficult to shoes wear out, even on faltering feet, the need for dental treatment becomes acute, the expenses of passing illnesses can not be met, we have not seen a current magazine for months, lectures, concerts, even the cinema, are forbidden.

On this New Year's Day I can not say with Henley, "My head is bloody, but unbowed," for it is a tired, white head, bowed to the earth with discouragement and anxiety. No favor, no kindness that involved material assistance, could be a consideration with us.

Is there any hope of simple justice? H. W. S.

He Advocates a Lower Tax on Intoxicants.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: A reasonable levy of not more than \$1.50 a gallon on ardent spirits will yield more revenue than the proposed rate of \$2. The short-sighted policy of excessive levies will do much to nullify repeal. Prohibition is not so dead as it might appear to be; being a state of mind, it does not die. The dregs are constituted that way and do not change. This Calvinistic or Torquemadain spirit is very hard to eradicate and the wets must be alert.

Rural territory is the moonshiner's paradise, and the country will swarm with them unless taxes on legal liquor are reduced to a moderate rate. The price to the consumer of bottled-in-bond rye should not exceed \$1 per quart. Some provision must be made to supply thinly populated districts with a lawful product. Express companies should carry it as before prohibition and it should also be handled by parcel post.

Linden, Va. L. G. HIGGINS.

Another Letter From a Bald-Headed Dad to His Red-Headed Daughter

By Robert Quillen

My dear Louise: Like other parents, I dread the time when you shall appear before me holding a gangling youngster by the hand and say: "Dad, this is the one I have picked."

But since that time must come, in the nature of things, I must warn you against a dreadful mistake that would make shipwreck of your life. Don't marry out of your class. I am not using the word "class" in the usual sense, but in a sense that is literal and true.

It has little to do with birth, for two members of a family may be as unlike as two strangers living worlds apart. Class—the class that matters—is made by character and intelligence and taste and temperament and other things that don't appear on the surface. There are people of both sexes—who are incapable of thoughts or acts that are dishonorable; and there are others, much like them in

Predicting World Adoption of Bimetallism.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Just to keep the record clear, let me tell you readers that another one of William Jennings Bryan's "dreams," nostrum, as some people at the time called it—the guaranteeing of bank deposits—has come true. It is now the law of the land and will do more to restore confidence among the people than any single piece of constructive legislation since this man-made depression started four years ago. The Commoner's principal issue in his campaign for the Presidency in 1908 was the guaranteeing of bank deposits.

One by one Bryan's "dreams" have become the law of the land and the time is not far distant when his greatest reform, the remonetization of silver or bimetallism, will be the adopted money system of the world. Then will ensue the greatest prosperity in world annals and will end for all time so-called cyclical business depression. People will then be so busy buying and selling, being happy and contented, that they will forget all about socialism, communism, sovietism and other isms.

But there is one more of his "dreams" yet to come true for which Mr. Bryan, while Secretary of State, paved the way—world peace. If I know Franklin D. Roosevelt it is "on the way" and will stamp him as the greatest President of the United States in history.

WILLIAM J. DWYER.

On the Use of Private Letter Boxes.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I was surprised to read in The Post of January 3, Postmaster General Farley's order as to the seizure of mailable articles found by the postmen when delivering mail in a private letter box.

It appears to me that the mail box and its contents are private property and Mr. Farley exceeds his authority and violates the constitutional provision providing that private property shall not be taken except by due process of law.

WILLIAM E. BRYANT.

appearance, who are deceitful and dishonest and treacherous. There are people who detest dirt, and there are others who can live in filth and be unaware of it. There are people of good taste who are unhappy in the midst of ugliness and vulgarity, and others who have no sense of fitness and no capacity to appreciate things that are fine. There are thoughtful, considerate, unselfish people, and others without natural courtesy and incapable of generosity. One group is intelligent and another stupid, one kind and another cruel, one fine and another coarse, one gentle and another rough, one liberal and another greedy. And the tragedy of it is that the veneer of civilization makes them all seem much alike until they are examined closely, and people in love cannot see the truth until it is too late. Yet somehow you must see the truth and marry one like yourself or live in misery all your days. The dove and the hawk may be happily mated to their kind, but one invites destruction if they mate together. Love. DAD. (Copyright, 1934, Publishers Syndicate.)

Along the Potomac

With Carlisle Barger.

THERE is grief in the ranks of the Young Liberals, a grief at once touching and ironic. After many months of heavy thinking, the younger thinkers are awakening to realize what many nonthinkers have known all along. That is, that by no stretch of the imagination can the NRA be looked upon as a production of the liberal mind. BARGERON.

What has excited them, awakened them, was Mr. Roosevelt's statement in his message to Congress that the NRA would continue "under the supervision but not the arbitrary dictation of Government itself." From this they see what most everybody else has seen for a long time, that the logical outcome of the so-called recovery agency is all the business of the country organized into one huge combine, "supervised" but not controlled by the Government for the simple reason that no mere Government bureau in Washington could exercise control over a combine so huge.

They are beginning to realize finally that the NRA came from such unliberal minds as John J. Raskob, who definitely proposed something of the sort in 1931, from the United States Chamber of Commerce, and even from Mr. Hoover himself, who never suggested, applying it, however, to anything but the natural resources.

One's heart goes out to the liberal boys. They are in distress. It's the disillusionment that comes to the young when they see their first sweetheart and you know how poignant that is.

Yet it is difficult to restrain from laughing. The thing sound liberal. There were a lot of liberal words about it: "National planning," "redistribution of wealth," "a new deal for the masses," etc. There was, too, the appealing noise with which the thing got off, the belligerency toward big business, apparent but not real, the "crackdown," the making of the steel barons toe the mark, the emphasis on the supposed benefits to labor. So strong did these calculated emphases become that big business got frightened, indeed, that the NRA sponsors decided it had been deeply enough planted and set off a policy of reassurance. Big business was told to open its eyes and get wise, that after the public had been educated over a period of 30 years the corner grocery store had to be protected from the big grocery combine; it had now in a few months been sold the philosophy that the combine has to be protected against the corner store.

Admittedly, it's here to stay—the NRA—for better or for worse, but the joke is that the Young Liberals, as they use the two terms "liberal" and "conservative," this agency falls under the latter with a bang. If there is any doubt of this just notice that those who are hollering loudest about the "liberal" spending policy, say:

"But let us keep the NRA."

William Lyon Phelps

Daily Talk About Books and Authors.

Lytelias.

Edward King was an undergraduate at Cambridge at the same time with Milton. He was drowned in the vacation of 1637. Today if a student dies, his classmates meet, appoint a committee to draw up resolutions of regret and sympathy, which are printed in the college papers and sent to his family. But in Cambridge in 1637 there were no college papers. A group of undergraduates who thought they were poets got together, each one wrote verses in honor of King, and they were published together in a little book. This is an exceedingly rare volume today, but there is one in the Elizabethan Club at Yale. It is interesting to read the book through and see what terrible stuff these would-be poets wrote; there at the very end of the volume come the immortal strains of Milton's Lycidas, one of the greatest poems in English Literature. Milton always did his best.

About 200 years later at the same university Hallam died, and Spenser wrote a Memorial. In an English Review some 40 years ago, I read a dialogue in the Elysian Fields between King and Hallam. One said to the other: "What lucky fellows we are! We died so young we had accomplished nothing. But we were each fortunate in having as a friend a poet, who gave each of us immortality. We shall never be forgotten. Incidentally, I like my poem better than yours." Then followed a sharp debate.

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INTERSECTION WATCHDOGS. On cold days a word of praise in due the traffic police says the Boston Post. Their job is no insecure even under good conditions. But on these frigid days it must be extremely difficult. They seem to make no complaint, though, and fight off the cold by waving their arms to keep traffic moving. Motorists in their warm cars can sympathize with them.

No End of Books

By Theodore Hall

Laurels for Japan.

The leading editorial in yesterday's Post made the sprightly and yet serious comment that it was to be hoped Japan's "dog year" would not coincide with China's "cat year."

For the report had come that Japan considers 1934 a "dog year," which, in the words of the war minister, Gen. Sadao Araki, means "smooth sailing in all affairs."

The general went on: "The future of Japan, therefore, is bright. The empire is destined to exercise influence in the Far East, to weld the civilization of the Orient and Occident, and to launch upon a holy mission to bring the salvation of the world."

Frankly, those words have an ominous ring in Western ears, shown by the very emphasis which the editorial writer gave to the words "holy mission." But Gen. Araki is only the unwitting cause of the twinge we feel. For somehow, deep in Western blood and bone, is a memory which goes back exactly 1,202 years, to the day when Charles Martel, on the field of Tours, flung back the sons of Mahomet engaged on that most dreaded of "holy missions"—a holy war.

No "holy mission" is not a happy phrase to use on the Western mind. But did Gen. Araki mean that? Can we, from our crucial difference of background, understand what the Japanese mind intends?

A book has just arrived from the Hokuseido Press in Tokyo which should help us to avoid the blunder of judging the east by western standards. "A Japanese Omelette: A British Writer's Impressions on (sic) the Japanese Empire," (\$1.80), by Maj. R. V. C. Bodley, is itself somewhat blundering, somewhat wandering.

But two or three points are very definitely stressed, points which must be of value to us. Maj. Bodley is a retired British army officer, son of the late J. E. C. Bodley, the historian, and a descendant of that Sir Thomas Bodley who was an ambassador of Queen Elizabeth and founder of the Bodleian Library at Oxford. All his life he has been a soldier and a traveler. His book, "Algeria From Within," is a standard work.

His present book records his travels in Japan, Manchukuo, Korea and the Japanese mandated islands of the Pacific. Though these lasted but a year (he is rather apologetic for speaking out after so brief an acquaintance) his impressions of Japan gain by that freshness. And they have one other important quality—they are sympathetic.

With something of a chip on his shoulder, Maj. Bodley explains why he admires the Japanese. Chiefly it is a reaction from the Chinese, from the disorder he found in their country, the knife-in-the-back machinations of the rival generals, the widespread venality, the lack of any capacity to unite in one solid effort. To be sure, these criticisms are those of a western mind.

That same standard of judgment leads Maj. Bodley to heap praises on the Japanese for their order and their amazing efficiency. But in the midst of admiring the smooth functioning of the Japanese Tourist Bureau and the cleanliness of Japanese factories, he understands Japan sufficiently well to see its paradox—that a nation utilizing the best methods of western material progress should keep sure hold on its love of beauty, of nature, of its trust in the ancient religious faith. Almost within earshot of a loud-speaker pouring out political news from Tokyo, an old Japanese gentleman walked into a shrine, bowed down, and clasped his hands for the attention of the god.

Where Maj. Bodley helps most of all is in letting us see Japan's purpose in Asia proper. Few of us have seen any other purpose there than a kind of land-grabbing at the expense of the Chinese. Let us hear the other side.

Non-Asiatics, says Maj. Bodley, can scarcely understand the problems of Asia. Japan's failure in the eyes of the world is simply a failure in explanation, in propaganda. He sees it as strange that a nation so anxious to conform to Western "so-called ideals" should lack interpreters to the Western mind (who might, perhaps, blue-pencil such phrases as "holy mission"). For it is plain to Maj. Bodley that the Chinese have been vastly more successful in propaganda—excellent psychologists, they have known how to appeal to the sentimental idealists of the West and cover up the fact that "China's contact with the outer world had been one long story of treaties and conventions broken."

China, says Maj. Bodley, is like a "wheezing overfed lapdog who can do no wrong in the eyes of its dotting mistress," while Japan is like a "healthy, highly-trained sporting dog, kept outside in the kennel." He thinks this a compliment, showing "that the world realizes Japan is a first-class nation which can look after itself and that China is not."

In the light of such opinions, Japan is a beneficent agent in Manchukuo. The mere putting down of the banditry, something the Chinese never attempted, is nearly an accomplished fact. Little by little the natives are being educated to the prime discovery that life in an ordered state is better than in one marked only by chance and confusion. If this order is admittedly of commercial value to Japan, it is none the less advantageous to the natives.

Further, it is unlikely that Japan will ever colonize Manchuria, for the simple reason that the Japanese standard of living, modest as it seems to Western eyes, is distinctly higher than that endured by the Chinese on those cold plains. A certain number of Japanese will migrate to the cities, but that is all. Even in Korea, a more favorable country, which has long been a Japanese colony, there are but 600,000 Japanese among a native population of 21,000,000.

And lastly, Maj. Bodley sees Japan and its organization of Man-

Only Four Convicts Fail to Keep Word

326 Others Return After Holiday in Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 5 (P).—Alabama convicts today had written another bright page into the history of the Christmas parole custom as a final check-up from the five prisons and 10 road camps showed that only 4 of 330 long-termers failed to return after spending the holidays at home.

Officials at the State Convict Department declared the check-up once again proved that State convicts in Alabama appreciate this Christmas gift for meritorious service and can keep their "man-to-man" agreement to return.

The four missing were among the 292 long-termers selected by the warden, while the 38 trustees at the State capitol returned to a man.

Sing Sing Death Cell Will Continue "Dry"

Oswining, N. Y., Jan. 5 (P).—Repeal or no repeal, Sing Sing is still dry. Joseph Willis, 24, who is to die a week from last night, asked Warden Lewis E. Lawes if he could have "a few drinks of repeal liquor." Warden Lawes said Willis' request would not be granted.

The Once Over.

By H. I. Phillips.

THE PRESIDENT KEEPS THE BALL.

President Roosevelt gave the joint session of the new Congress a review of 1933, but refused the audience a program for the big show of 1934. He left Congress in the position of a lady who has written to the editor of the love-lorn column and had the letter returned unopened.

The President declared that prosperity was on the way, and implied that anything Congress did to retard it would be its own idea.

When the joint session adjourned Mr. Roosevelt was still in possession of the ball and the signals.

He thanked Congress for adjourning early in his regime, and indicated that similar cooperation would be a great public service.

It was the first time in history that a President had opened Congress in a crisis without asking for any definite action or without giving any indication, whether he wanted it to punt, run or pass.

He said nothing about his money plans and left Congress and the great unseen audience to continue guessing whether the dollar of the future would be gold, silver or chromium plated.

But he left the Rugged Individualists without a single Christmas tree ornament, linking the Big Business Boys of the Boom Days with the gangster, the bandit and the noxious weed.

He denounced them as "persons or groups who have been living off their neighbors by the use of methods either unethical or criminal," and was in his best radio form when he denounced "those individuals who have evaded the spirit and purpose of our tax laws."

He said we must definitely build a structure on the ruins of the past. The building industry thus got the only crumb thrown out to business men.

He indicated very clearly that he believed the New Deal was succeeding, and that the country was definitely on the upgrade. And gave the old-time business leader another cold shower by announcing that the NRA was to be a permanent feature of industrial life, with supervision ultimately replacing dictation.

All in all, it was a spirited, high-minded address, but it left Congress to erect its own traffic lights.

To those seeking advice and guidance it was something less than satisfying. But it was good tactics. When a general has all the maps in his lap and won't talk it's the soldiers' own fault if they start a campaign out of their own heads.

AMBIGUOUS.

Do you suppose there was anything significant in the President's emphasizing, at the reassembling of Congress, that he was against gang wars?

Ima Dodo was quite upset by the President's address. She listened to him on the radio and thought he said there must be an end of lunching in America.

A Cuban election will be held in April. All those who wish to register will signify by the usual shots.

P. G. H. says that in Havana the Australian bullet system will be used.

The determination of the Fusion party to give New York a clean administration is so pronounced that it is having Judge Seabury manufacture the first baseball that will be thrown out by Mayor LaGuardia in the next world series.

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perhaps hysterical as this may seem to us, he is most emphatic. "The Russian peril," he says, "no one can visualize until, as I, they have traveled in the interior of China and been in the midst of its seething population, or come in contact with its herds of ill-disciplined soldiery—who, if led and organized, could do what they liked with the rest of the world." And for this service Japan should have the thanks of the world and not its rebukes.

Maj. Bodley's book should help us to see pretty clearly that what Gen. Araki meant by his phrase was no more than a crusade against those dangers of chaos which hover over the East. Their possible solution is another matter.

"...breeding places of disease and crime..."

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Alleys No. 1.

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The quotation above is from the first article in a special series on "The Alleys of Washington," written by Mr. Felix Bruner of The Washington Post staff and appearing exclusively in The Post. Below, is reproduced a typical Washington alley scene... one of many, forming the background of Mr. Bruner's series, exposing a startling and almost unbelievable condition in the Nation's Capital.

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The Washington Post

Water Huston, Fay Bainter in "Dodsworth" Added to Imminent Local Bookings

National Will Have Premiere Monday, Jan. 29

Max Gordon the Producer; Play Contest Extended; Max Baer Arrives.

Reprinted from Yesterday's Last Edition.

By Nelson B. Bell.

Despite the lugubrious forebodings of the confirmed and dolorous pessimists, all is not dark in the outlook of the legitimate theater as it is represented by the National in Washington.

Comparable to the return to the living theater of Helen Hayes in "Mary of Scotland," Roland Young, Laura Hope Crews, Elizabeth Patterson and Frances Fuller in "Her Master's Voice," or, more recently, Katharine Hepburn in "The Morning After," the National's production of "Dodsworth," which will bring back to the flesh-and-blood drama one of the foremost actors in America, Walter Huston, supported by no less a feminine luminary than Fay Bainter.

The play and Mr. Huston come to the National Theater for their premiere performance on any stage Monday night, January 29, and will, of course, remain the week.

A Quick Return.

This will be in the nature of a speedy return visit to the Capital for Mr. Huston—whom George M. Cohan has designated the most versatile actor in the contemporary American theater—who spent many weeks here during the late summer performing before the cameras and microphones in association with Frances Dee, Jack Conway and the Fort Meyer garrison for the greater edification of "Radio City," a new film play in justification of a famous cavalry horse, soon to be released by RKO-Radio.

Fay Bainter has yet to be adequately recognized by the mass of theatergoers as an authentic artist of the first rank. She is a star in her own right, whose work in such successful dramatic ventures as "East Is West," "Jealousy" and in support of Walter Hampden in "The Admirable Crichton"—which Cecil B. De Mille for personal reasons always refers to as "Male and Female"—is of course, remembered by all thoughtful playgoers.

It is to be hoped that "Dodsworth," in addition to the contribution of its own intrinsic merit to the record of the current season, will open the way for a renewal of the stellar activities which have made Miss Bainter's earlier achievements such pleasant memories.

Incidentally, the first, and one of the most outstanding, of the present New York season's smash dramatic hits to terminate its Broadway run and undertake a road tour of National dimensions is "Double Door," which will make the National Theater in this city its first stop outside the metropolis, for the week beginning Monday night, February 5. Thus, evidence piles up that the National Capital is still recognized among astute producers as one of the few remaining key cities of the hinterland in which worthy drama will be accorded the support commensurate with its merit—Mr. J. J. Shubert and his determination to send no further productions here, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Final Date Extended.

An extension of the "deadline" for entering original three-act plays in the annual competition conducted by the Arts Club of Washington, until January 15, has been announced by Mrs. W. J. Peters, director of the club's workshop for playwrights and chairman of the contest committee.

Competition, it may be repeated, is not limited to club members. Amateur playwrights throughout Washington are urged to submit manuscripts. The winners have the assurance of seeing their plays produced by the Arts Club dramatic committee which includes many of the Capital's best amateur players. Contests in previous years have been restricted to one-act plays, but this year the contest rules call for original three-act manuscripts, which have not been previously published or produced. And the final date for entry, as stated, is now January 15.

Special newscast shots showing the comprehensive scenes of the concluding of the Seventy-third Congress, the United States last Wednesday are to be seen during the week starting today in the Paramount sound news, now showing at the Metropolitan and Columbia Theaters. These exclusive shots reach their climax in the address made to the joint session of the Senate and House by President Roosevelt. Other houses will be similarly fortified from other sources.

Substitution.

The Three Radio Rogues, prominent in support of Marion Davies and Bing Crosby in "Going Hollywood," which resumes its 7 street run at Loew's Columbia today, will replace the Diamond Boys on the stage bill at Loew's Fox today, according to late word from New York.

These three are mimics who enjoy chief billing under Max Baer, the new "It" man of the screen and leading contender for the heavyweight boxing title, who is the bill's undisputed headliner.

The Three Radio Rogues are undoubtedly experts in their imitations of the foremost figures of the stage and radio and vary their routine by interpolating special song arrangements and wise sayings.

Except for that "certain something" that Max Baer proved he possessed by the ease and effectiveness of his work with Walter Huston, Myrna Loy, Primo Carnera, Jack Dempsey, Otto Kruger, et al.

A Guest at That Eventful Dinner



A striking pose of Karen Morley, one of the most reliable of the screen's younger leading women, as she appears in the role of the young doctor's wife in "Dinner at Eight," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer 14-star picturization of the Edna Ferber-George S. Kaufman play, which enters its second week at popular prices at Loew's Palace Theater today. Miss Morley's role, opposite Edmund Lowe, while brief, is extremely well done—as is everything she essays before the cameras.

In "The Prizefighter and the Lady" they might crowd him a little for first honors. Under the circumstances, however, place money seems to be all they may reasonably expect.

Speaking of Max Baer, the smiling knuckle-tossing arrived as scheduled yesterday evening at 4:35 and proceeded directly to the Shoreham where a swirling mass of curiosity seekers, autograph hunters—Mr. Baer writes—mugs, lugs and newspaper people, some of whom, as Master Bill McCormick will give evidence on today's sports pages, had craftily ridden in with him aboard the Pennsylvania crack flyer, The Representative, from Baltimore. Mr. Baer and his entourage held more or less open house at the Shoreham last night and so gets off today in the good graces of the talent—even if some of the plagues did get in his hair.

A Native Star.

Merely as a refreshment of memory, it should be remarked that the former little Miss Fagan, who engaged some early interest by the excellence of her impersonations of celebrities, the same Ina Claire, who will appear in the leading role in the Theater Guild's production of "Biography," at the National Theater, January 15, for an engagement of one week, was born in Washington.

She was educated at the Washington public schools and Holy Cross Academy.

She made her first appearance in vaudeville, and scored an instantaneous success by her impersonation of Mary Larou.

She made her London debut in "The Girl from Utah." She so delighted English theatergoers that she was engaged for "The Belle of Bond Street," creating the role of Winnie Harborough.

Was Belasco Star.

For David Belasco she originated the role of Jerry Lamar in Avery Hopwood's comedy, "The Gold Diggers."

Later came a series of brilliant successes including "Bluebeard's Eighth Wife," "The Awful Truth," "Grounds for Divorce," a revival of Maughams "Out Backers," and a scintillating performance of Mrs. Cheney in Frederic Lonsdale's comedy, "The Last of Mrs. Cheney."

There were a few minutes once too, when Miss Claire, during the course of a comparatively brief sojourn in Hollywood, was Mrs. John Gilbert, wife of the temperamental film star, now appearing—and in much improved form, we are told—with Greta Garbo in her latest release, "Queen Christina," now showing on Broadway.

In honor of something or other in response to many requests from patrons who were lavish in their praise of his earlier essays at portions of the most exacting of classic compositions, Phil Lampkin, the youthful fork-handled conductor of the orchestra at Loew's Fox Theater, beginning today, will offer at his special overture number the fourth, or finale, movement of Tchaikovsky's Symphony in F Minor, No. 4. The composer personally endorsed this work as his finest in the realm of contemporary music.

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Evidently they are all heavyweights on the Fox bill this week!

Petersburg D. of C. To Found Museum

Petersburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Petersburg Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, is making plans for establishment of a museum. It will include relics of the colonial period, the Revolution, War of 1812, Mexican War, Spanish-American War and World War.

Players Elect Officers.

Bristol, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Bristol Community Players, a group of young Bristolians organized to promote stage productions in this city, have elected the following officers: Ed Backus, president; Hattie Dickey, secretary; Elizabeth Purvine, treasurer; Berk Rucker, general manager; Wesley Davis, production manager; and Charles Farrelly, stage manager.

City Sanitary Drive Started In Hagerstown

100 Will Get Jobs in Move to Make Community More Healthful.

Hagerstown, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—A community sanitation program, which will provide employment for 100 persons for several months, is announced by Dr. W. Ross Cameron, health officer for Hagerstown and Washington County.

The projects, either started or to be started here within the next week, include:

Elimination of three mosquito breeding spots, the swamp lands adjacent to the City Park and the draining of the old C. & O. Canal at Williamsport and Hancock; construction of a large cesspool in the northern section of the city; elimination of conditions during heavy rains at Sharpsburg, where a stream passing through that town overflows into wells and cisterns; water supply cistern for Maugansville, scene of a serious typhoid outbreak last year; erection of 70 model outside toilets at many rural schools.

The health department asks suggestions for their sanitary work.

Engineers now making a survey of the city and county are reporting projects to be included in the program.

The Federal Transient Bureau hereafter will operate the Salvation Army home here as a temporary transient headquarters. The bureau seeks to prevent transients from wandering about the country. A district superintendent will arrive here next week to take charge while Maj. W. M. Bouterse, of the Salvation Army here, will supervise the home and have charge of the meals and rooms.

Activities of the Salvation Army will continue. Similar headquarters will be established in Frederick, Cumberland and Hyattsville, while the headquarters for the State will be in Baltimore.

Judge Denounces Traffic in Drugs

3 Narcotics Violators Draw Prison Terms.

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Federal Judge John Paul, in sentencing three men for violating narcotics laws, denounced drug peddling as a "heinous" offense and "doubtless" when done by a nonuser as a cold-blooded business proposition.

William Lee Carter, convicted on one of three counts, was sentenced to three years; Mike Keirris, whose case was continued from last term, pleaded guilty and was given four years; R. D. W. Dunham, pleaded guilty and asked for a prison sentence in order to "get off" drugs. He was given 15 months.

A continuance was granted in the case of L. C. Mays (alias Gumby Coleman), who is charged with storing and concealing liquor, which no tax had been paid. He was released under bond of \$1,000.

Virginia Roads Projects Offered

Richmond, Jan. 5 (P).—The State Department of Highways has opened bids on 10 road-construction projects. The low bids totaled \$269,769.11.

Among the projects, lowest bidders and their bids are:

Macadam highway of 0.22 of a mile, with bridge over Smith Creek, on Route 211 in Shenandoah County; Rhoades & Walters, Culpeper, \$16,710.40.

Surfacing with local material of 4 miles of Route 238 in Loudoun County, near the West Virginia line; Gilbert Construction Co., Beckley, W. Va., \$46,763.05.

Macadam roadway of 0.26 of a mile on Route 159 in Gordonsville, Orange County; Rhoades & Walters, Culpeper, \$12,168.50.

Mrs. Nellie Thompson Rites at Cumberland

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The body of Mrs. Nellie Thompson, 38, widow, a native of Cumberland, who was killed in an automobile accident in Cleveland, Ohio, was brought to the home of her sister, Mrs. C. Ward Resenmerkel, here. The funeral was held Thursday at 2 P. M. at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church.

She is survived by two sons, one daughter, three brothers and four sisters, all of Cumberland.

Charles Town Pastor Appoints Fire Chaplain

Charles Town, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The Rev. J. W. Rosenberger, Methodist pastor here, was elected chaplain of the Citizens Fire Company yesterday.

Other officers are: President and captain, L. L. Ott; first lieutenant, Paul Dorsey; second lieutenant, E. A. Rowland; third lieutenant, Charles Dorsey; engineer, B. D. Weller. The Rev. G. G. Sydnor, Presbyterian pastor, is chaplain of Independent Fire Company.

C. E. Abrams Dies; Once of Hagerstown

Hagerstown, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Word was received here of the death in Jersey City, N. J., of Charles E. Abrams, former owner of the Maryland Poultry Co., this city.

He moved to Jersey City two years ago from this city. Besides his wife, two sons, one of whom is Sterlin Abrams, of Washington, survive.

Funeral at "Spy Hill" For William B. Garnett

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Funeral services were held this morning at "Spy Hill" for William Brown Garnett, 49, who died Wednesday in the Garfield Hospital in Washington.

Mr. Garnett is survived by his wife, Mrs. Haskins Garnett; two daughters, Virginia and Josie; and his mother.

Recreation Center for Youth Opens Doors in Harrisonburg

First CWA Project of Its Kind Equipped for Games and Music.

Harrisonburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—A recreation center for boys and girls—Harrisonburg's newest CWA project—opened tonight in the old Elks Home.

This station, providing employment for the women supervisors, comes under Civil Works Service, a branch of the CWA. Miss Juliet Gish, Harrisonburg director of public welfare, is in charge of the CWA projects for women.

The old lodge rooms have been equipped by donations, including a piano, radio, phonograph and varieties of games. The center is open to all boys and girls above the age of 14.

So far as is known here, this is the first CWA project of its kind to get under way in this section and fill a long-felt need here.

Another project for the benefit of women is the sewing class. Forty women are engaged in making garments for their families and roommates. The dozen projects for men have been going at top speed for several weeks with the pay roll averaging \$3,500 weekly. The men are painting State Teachers College buildings, grading an athletic field for the colored team, and making street improvements.

Warren U. D. C. to Give Lee's Birthday Dinner

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Warren Rifles Chapter, U. D. C., at a meeting yesterday planned a banquet on Lee's birthday, January 19.

Mrs. P. M. Shirley and Mrs. Gus King constitute the committee on arrangements.

Roanoke Protests Transients' Home

Residential Location Gets Storm of Opposition.

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Fearing violence if a lodging house for transients is established on Mountain avenue southwest, a residential section, the city council, in response to a storm of protests from citizens, has wired M. S. Burdard, Richmond, director of transient bureaus in the State, urging abandonment of the plan.

Simultaneously the council sought the aid of Senator Byrd and Representative Woodrum in bringing pressure on Federal authorities to block the proposal.

The transient bureau is under supervision of a committee headed by D. E. McQuilkin, superintendent of schools. City Manager W. P. Hunter, member of the committee, said the lease for the old St. Charles Hospital property was not negotiated by the committee, but was signed in Richmond.

Family Yields Post It Held 48 Years

Three of Hoge Clan Were Staunton Treasurers.

Staunton, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Held by members of the Hoge family for 48 years, the treasuryship of the City of Staunton has passed to Harry E. Baylor (Democrat), successful candidate in the November election.

Arista Hoge succeeded John M. Carroll as treasurer in 1885 and served until his death, January 9, 1923. Then his son, Frank M. Hoge, long a deputy under his father, was appointed to fill out the term and subsequently was elected. Frank M. Hoge died and his brother, Henry B. Hoge, completed the term. The latter did not seek the office at the election.

During the 48 years the Hoge family held the office every penny of the millions of dollars passing through their hands was properly accounted for.

Veteran Virginia Court Clerk Dies

Suffolk, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Harvey Burton McLemore, 35 years clerk of the court of Southampton County, died yesterday.

He succeeded his father, Benjamin F. McLemore, as clerk of the court in 1887, his father having been elected in one family for half a century.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pattie Williams McLemore, three sons, H. B. Jr., Reginald Williams, and William Thomas McLemore; a daughter, Miss Katherine McLemore, and two brothers, Judge James L. McLemore, of Suffolk, and Dr. W. T. McLemore, of Courtland; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas H. Birdsong, of Suffolk, and Mrs. Josephine Bowen, of Washington. Funeral services will be held in Courtland tomorrow.

Credit Unit Directors Selected by Farmers

Clarksburg, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Farmers of eleven central West Virginia counties have elected seven directors for the central West Virginia office of the Federal Farm Credit Association.

They are John D. McReynolds, of Clarksburg; R. E. Smith, West Union; E. L. Young, Simpson; T. J. Iner, Elkins; C. G. Brown, Buckhannon; W. K. Bright, Flatwoods; A. E. Sutton, Weston.

Missing Broker Found With Wrist Slashed

Baltimore, Jan. 5 (P).—Felix Bluthenthal, insurance-broker missing since yesterday, was found today at Beaver Dam, Va., semiconscious from loss of blood, according to reports received by his family.

Bluthenthal was sitting in his car, parked in front of a residence. His left wrist had been slashed, apparently with the razor blade found beside him. His condition is critical.

\$100 Raised at Ball For Veterans Help

Lexington, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Officials in charge of the charity ball held here under the sponsorship of the local post of Veterans of Foreign Wars report that \$100 was cleared.

This money will be used for the support and upkeep of a cottage for Virginia children at the Veterans of Foreign Wars National Home for Children at Eaton Rapids, Mich.

Visiting Pastor Will Conduct Special Series

Evangelical Services to Be Held Jan. 15-26 in Fredericksburg.

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Dr. Walter P. Binns, of the First Baptist Church of Roanoke, will conduct evangelical services at the Fredericksburg Baptist Church January 15 through January 26.

Aiding Dr. Binns as young people's worker and song leader will be E. E. Wolstegel, known here through his work last year.

Dr. Binns is head of one of the outstanding churches of the Southern Baptist Convention. Mr. Wolstegel has reported a program of song leadership, chalk talks, and other features for the young people.

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The Virginia Heights Lutheran Church has named four new council members, as follows: S. Craft, elder; E. A. Rutherford, Jr., Lester Smith and A. E. Cronise, deacons. The council consists of 12 members, four chosen each year for a three-year term.

Lexington, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The Rev. Thomas Wright, who recently accepted the call to R. E. Lee Memorial Episcopal Church here, has arrived and will deliver his first sermon Sunday morning.

Petersburg, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—At the annual congregational meeting of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, with the rector, the Rev. J. M. B. Gill, presiding, the following were elected vestrymen: James R. Ayers, Jr., Dr. William B. Bannister, J. Gordon Bohannon, Dr. L. S. Early, Richard D. Gilliam, Francis M. Gilliam, Emma H. Hoge, Charles Lunsford, H. A. Miller, Robert A. McKenney, C. G. Pleasant and Dr. Mason Roanoke.

Churches to Install Pastor.

Staunton, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The Rev. W. R. Bolling Hobson will be installed Sunday as pastor of the Presbyterian churches at Massanutten-Cross Keys and at Cross Roads.

The commission conducting the service will be composed of the Rev. Dr. W. R. Hobson, the Rev. Dr. Parkes W. Wilson, the Rev. W. L. Walker, alternates, the Rev. D. L. Beard, the Rev. C. H. Phipps, Elders B. F. Suter and W. E. Watkins. Dr. Hobson already is serving churches in the Elkton group.

8 Divorces Granted In Warren for 1933

59 Marriage Licenses on Virginia County's List.

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—The sum of \$1,485 was collected for hunting and fishing licenses issued in Warren County, from July 1 to December 31, 1933.

C. W. Shepherd, county game warden, said about 1,000 persons got licenses. A few were issued to nonresidents, for whom the fee is \$15.00 for hunting and fishing and some at \$5 for fishing only.

The circuit court office here issued 59 marriage licenses in 1933 to 45 white and 14 colored couples, and the circuit court granted 8 divorces.

Insurance Rate Raise In Virginia Requested

Richmond, Jan. 5 (P).—After insurance companies writing workmen's compensation insurance in Virginia had proposed an average increase of 6.8 per cent in rates, the State Corporation Commission today set February 14 for a hearing on the proposals.

The increases would amount to 3 per cent to the manufacturing group, 3.6 per cent to the contracting groups and 8.8 per cent, to all other groups.

Shelburne Inducted As Kiwanian Leader

Staunton, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—L. F. Shelburne, superintendent of the public school system here, has been installed as president of the Kiwanis Club.

His associate officers are Duncan Curry and W. J. Clemen, vice presidents; R. N. Lineweaver, treasurer; J. M. Hesser, secretary. The new board consists of Maj. C. S. Roller, Shelton P. Mann, Wesley C. Marsh, Sidney E. Matthews, Clarence K. Jones, and J. M. Feagle.

James Boyd, Aged 50, Buried at Front Royal

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Funeral services for James Boyd, 50, were held from the home here today by the Rev. R. B. Clagett. Interment was in Prospect Hill Cemetery with burial rites conducted by the Order of Fraternal Americans.

Mr. Boyd died in University Hospital at Charlottesville Wednesday following an operation.

Elias Hiney Is Dead In Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Charles Town, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Elias Hiney, 88, resident of Charles Town, died yesterday at Shepherdstown, where he was spending the winter. He enlisted at 18 in the United Army and served until the surrender.

At one time he was rural carrier out of the Charles Town Postoffice and resigned when automobiles were put into use.

State Arts Group To Request Awards

Richmond, Jan. 5 (P).—The State Art Commission has instructed its architects, Peabees & Ferguson, of Norfolk, to advertise for bids on the construction of the State Art Museum Building, which is to stand on the grounds of Lee Camp Soldiers' Home here at the corner of Grove avenue and the Boulevard.

Rockbridge Board Named

Lexington, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—C. C. Humphries, Hugh Adams, and H. C. McCluer have been appointed by Judge J. A. Glasgow to serve as members of the equalization board for Rockbridge County.

Trade Census Leader Named

Tandy W. Stephens Heads Survey in Virginia District.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Tandy W. Stephens, of Charlottesville, active Democratic party worker, has been appointed supervisor of 12 Virginia counties in the business census to be made by the Federal Government. He set up an office in the postoffice building here yesterday.

Stuart Hamm, Albemarle County treasurer, had declined the census appointment upon deciding to contest his right to remain treasurer against the new county executive government.

Stephens will supervise the work of 27 enumerators distributed as follows:

Albemarle County 2, Clarke 1, Fluvanna 1, Frederick 1, Greene 1, Louisa 2, Madison 1, Page 3, Rappahannock 1, Rockingham 2, Shenandoah 5, Warren 1, and the cities of Charlottesville 3, Harrisonburg 1, and Winchester 2.

The enumerators will be drawn from the unemployed.

Mexican Divorce Balks Wedding in Maryland

Elkton, Md., Jan. 5 (P).—Cecil County court records today disclosed a marriage license had been refused here to James A. Trew, 24, of Port Richmond, N. Y., and Helen M. Holly, 24, of Westerleigh, N. Y., because the bride had been granted a Mexican divorce.

Mexican divorces have not been recognized in Maryland since a bigamy trial last October of Justin M. Edgerton, of New York. He was found guilty of bigamy after marrying Miss Grace Adams, of New Bedford, Mass. Sentence was suspended.

Bristol Court Sends 2 to Prison; Imposes Fine

Bristol, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Frank Malcolm was sentenced in corporation court yesterday to serve two years in the State penitentiary on a charge of seduction. Arthur Arnold was sentenced to six months in jail on a charge of petit larceny and Harry Williams and John McCroskey were fined \$25 each on charges of assault.

AMUSEMENTS

"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" ODDITORIUM

SENSATION OF WORLDS FAIR
25 Human Oddities
300 Inanimate Curiosities
Washington Auditorium
12th & E Sts. N.W.
Continues, 8:30, 10:15, 11:30
Adults, 40c; Children, 15c

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FLYING DOWN TO RIO
Dolores del Rio, Fred Astaire
Comedy
PERT KELTON • ZAZU PITTS
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A Month of Holiday Shows

LOEW'S FOX

NOW! On Stage
MAX BAER
Singing, dancing... clowning
3 RADIO ROGUES
OTHER ANNIVERSARY VAUDEVILLE ACTS

MONTGOMERY

"HUGITIVE LOVERS"
NOW! On Stage
MAX BAER
Singing, dancing... clowning
3 RADIO ROGUES
OTHER ANNIVERSARY VAUDEVILLE ACTS

LOEW'S PALACE

50 BIG Hit Songs
ANOTHER WEEK

LOEW'S COLUMBIA

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GOING HOLLYWOOD
12:30 & 2:30 P.M.
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Florida Citron Makes Winter Market Debut

Cousin to Lemon Offers Tempting Ingredient for Pies.

By Ruth Anne Davis.
A new kind of fruit has arrived in Washington. A local fruit store makes it a business to bring some novel product into the city every week or so. We often wonder when their ingenuity will be exhausted, but so far they've continued to surprise us regularly with new importations.

This time it's the citron, just up from Florida. It grows on trees looking quite like lemon trees, but the fruit itself looks like nothing we ever saw before. It's oblong, somewhat pear-shaped at the top, from 5 to 8 inches long, and a kind of greenish-yellow color. A citron kept in the fruit bowl on the dining room table will fill the whole room with a fragrant spicy aroma.

The fruit is thick and spongy, and lends itself to candying, preserving and pickling. The pulp is soft and juicy, with a decidedly acid flavor. It makes pies "what are pies!" says the proprietor.

Artichokes Arrive, Too.
Besides the citron this week the store also is featuring tubular artichokes. These look something like freak potatoes, and taste a little like them, too, with a flavor of green artichokes thrown in. They're simple to prepare. Boil them, and serve with salt and butter. They're very excellent served in place of a salad with vinegar and pepper.

Big Bad Wolf Cookies.
Cookies, just plain cookies, are daily becoming more interesting, not alone for numerous new recipes but also on account of the novel cutters, pressers and molds. The kitchenware department of a large downtown store keeps up with the times. No sooner does a new convenience appear on the market than straightaway it's found here.

They've received some cutters which will turn the ordinary round cookies into the three little pigs, and the big bad wolf. After the batter has been rolled out on to a large flat board, cut into these shapes and baked slowly to keep it from flattening out. When the cookies are done, a little colored icing and a few red candy drops will turn them into works of art.

Party Cookie Novelties.
Party cookies can be cut into just different forms with no trouble at all if the new cookie press is used. This is a long aluminum tube which has a half dozen interchangeable blades. There's also a new mold for ice box cookies. It's round, with a split side to enable it to cut closely around the batter. After the cookies have been rolled into this and kept several hours in the ice box, it's a simple matter to cut them into thin slices.

Food for All Hours.
The versatile combination cooker and waffle iron will prove a boon to any household. It can start the day cooking crisp, brown waffles, and end up at the midnight feast toasting sandwiches for the icebox raiders. This cooker fries, broils, toasts and bakes. Imagine one little 7 x 11-inch contrivance with so many happy combinations! Ordinarily, the waffle or pancake iron will go unused weeks at a time, just as the sandwich toaster, but this expert little cooker will be a convenience morning, noon and night.

Breads Break Monotony.
Rolls are no longer prosaic breads. A local bake shop makes them in such a variety of flavors that we can scarcely keep up with them. Today they're running a special on large light rolls, filled with raisins and strong with cinnamon flavor. An extraordinary feature is the size of the raisins, some the size of grapes.

Rolls of this type are considered extremely healthy to begin the day on, and are delicious tidbits to serve toasted late in the evening.

A Bargain in Rolls.
Perhaps a newer kind of roll is the honey pecan. These resemble pies in size, and upside-down cakes the way they're baked. The baker flavors them highly with pecans and honey. After they've been put in the oven and warmed thoroughly, they make a feast fit for a king. They're selling for 35 cents today instead of the usual 40 cents. Buy some this afternoon and use them tomorrow at tea—if you want something really good!

Solution of Ice Problems.
The failure of many a party may be laid to the ice situation. If the hostess has neglected to order from the ice company and depended on the refrigerator she has jeopardized the success of her party then and there. If on the other hand she has served drinks filled with large awkward ice cubes she has shown that she isn't up on the proper way of serving.

She should have one of the ice cube crushers and as she takes them from the tray run them through this grinder-like machine. It breaks the cubes up into fine bits and makes ice which is entirely appropriate for all kinds of beverages.

Call Ruth Anne Davis, of The Washington Post, National 4205, Extension 105, for further information. Or write, inclosing a stamped, addressed envelope.

What Today Means

"Capricorn."

If January 6 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m., from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., and from 5 to 9 p. m. The danger periods are from 7 to 8 a. m., from 1:45 to 2 p. m. and from 9 to 10:30 p. m.

If you were born on January 6, you will find this date filled with many unimportant, but very pleasant happenings. You will either meet or hear from a very dear friend or relative, whom you have not seen in some time, before this week has passed. You are the type of person that inspires affection in all with whom you come in close contact. You will be very active in both social and business affairs. Your opinion on various subjects will be frequently sought and valued. You have the happy faculty of being able to clearly present any topic, which you feel qualified to talk on, in such a manner that any one listening can not fail to be convinced that you are thoroughly conversant with the matter being discussed.

The child born on January 6 will bring joy into your life. As the child grows older it will take a very active interest in everything of an educational nature. The child will evince a desire to acquire possession of things which will later prove of an educational value, as for instance, the collection of such objects as stamps or rare coins.

If a man and woman born on January 6, you will be deeply interested in anything dealing with the unknown or the future. Mysticism and the occult will, sooner or later, have a special appeal. It will be wise for you to avoid any of the forms of charity, for if you allow yourself to get mixed up in it, great mental disturbance will result, which will cause future unhappiness. You can avoid this by being careful in the selection of the books you read, and the people with whom you associate.

You will have a restless desire for adventure, and will be able to satisfy it, in some degree, by traveling and reading. You spend a great deal of time in "building castles in the air," and while this is an innocent pastime, it may be wise to exercise care it does not interfere with your work. Women born on this date are of a very restless disposition, and will, if the opportunity presents itself, take a more active interest in the business and political world than in the home. People born January 6 will succeed in almost any line of business they undertake, and are especially mentally qualified to succeed in the literary or the educational fields. Happiness in your domestic life is assured.

Successful people born on January 6: Thomas Chittenden, statesman. Edward D. Griffin, inventor. James M. Porter, lawyer and politician.

Joseph Holt, jurist. Charles Shumner, statesman. Henry E. Dixey, actor.

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Eye-Rolling Aids Beauty.
Exercising your eyes for a few minutes daily will add to their sparkle and increase their play of expression, according to Helen Mack. Just roll your eyes around and up and down.

What's in Fashion?

Simple Pattern of 18th Century Furniture Makes It the First Choice for Dining Room

Directed by Amos Parrish

New York, Jan. 5.—How was your dining room on the occasion of the two late great feasts? Did it please you? Was it nice enough for these days of greater elegance?

If you have come to the point where you "just can't stand it" any more, here are a few ideas on what some of the most fashionable homes are doing about their dining rooms right now.

One of the first rooms to have come strongly under the influence of modern decoration is the dining room. Glassware, china, linen, they've all responded to the influence of modern on color and design.

Must Fit With Modern.
Most in-fashion homes are taking note of that trend and deciding that furniture which looks well with these modern things is not only the smartest, but the safest to buy.

That does not necessarily mean furniture in extreme modern style. It means furniture with the simplicity and classical lines which

harmonize with modern as well as with other types of period decorations.

Eighteenth century type furniture has this wanted simplicity and classic lines. And that's what makes it the most fashionable kind of dining room furniture today.

Mahogany is the wood for it. The same wood that was used in the original Sheraton and Hepplewhite pieces from which it is adapted. And, too, in the furniture of Duncan Phyfe, who took his inspiration from those cabinetmakers.

Either brown or red mahogany are equally smart.

We've had sketched part of a dining room suite showing the sort of pieces you'll find with this eighteenth century influence.

The cabinet has a suggestion of the Hepplewhite influence. The server is more Sheraton with its straight, slender legs. The table, too, is Sheraton type with the pedestal legs Duncan Phyfe copied so often. And the chairs have the smooth, flowing lines of Phyfe designs.

Simple, directoire, or classic mod-

ern, as some call it, is another type of furniture many fashionable homes are investing in. This, too, of course, is an eighteenth century and very early nineteenth century type, taking its name from the period during which the directoire ruled France.

In revolt against the excesses and foppishness of the Kings Louis, the French of that period harked back to simple classic Greek designs both in their clothing and furniture. It is this furniture, modified, of course, which today is being revived under the name of classic modern or simple directoire. This, too, is at its best in mahogany or in painted white or black.

A number of eighteenth century groups are made up to include pieces used in the living room and in the dining room. So if you have a combination living room, as so many apartment dwellers have, your room can still have a beautifully ensembled effect.

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Monday: Bridge dresses have new ideas.



Furniture of the type described is available in Washington in all the better class shops.

Homemade Noodles, Saute, Fried and Buttered Help Flavor of Many Soups and Oven Dishes



Home-made American and Chinese Noodles Are Fun to Make and Still Better to Sample.

By Ann Barrett.

Most folks will agree with Eddie Cantor that noodles lend adventure to eating. Whether in soup or in various skillet and oven dishes flavored with cheese, meat or vegetables.

Some even like to start the adventure further back, by making their own noodles at home. I confess I think it is fun (when you have time) to see just how noodles get the way they are.

Here is the secret: First sift 1 cup general purpose flour with ¼ teaspoon salt (in a bowl or in a little mound on your mixing board). Drop a whole egg (or 2 yolks) into the center of this, and mix thoroughly. (Electric mixer fine for this.) Then knead mixture well, and divide in two parts. Roll each of these out just as thin as you possibly can (in an oblong shape). Let stand to dry at least 10 minutes. Then turn the two sheets of paste over and dry on the other side. Next roll up each sheet like a jelly-roll (the long way of the dough). With a sharp knife slice the noodles off the end of this roll—in fine, medium or broad slices. Then flick these up in your fingers and toss them lightly to separate them. Let stand at least 15 minutes before using. (You can store these for future use, just as you do bought noodles.)

How to Cook Noodles.

Noodles are usually cut fine for soup, and are done after about 5 minutes boiling in the soup stock. The recipe given here makes enough for 4 people, and requires at least 1 quart of soup. To boil noodles in water before using them in baked and other dishes, put them in plenty of boiling salted water, using 1 teaspoon of salt to each quart of water. Medium and broad noodles take from 10 to 15 minutes.

Noodles Saute and Fried.
Noodles saute are delicious, too. For these, first melt 4 tablespoons fat in heavy skillet. Then turn in cooked, drained noodles. Cover and cook slowly about 20 minutes. The under side will brown, so that you can fold noodles over and take them out, like hashed-browned potatoes.

For Chinese noodles (eaten with chow mein) the noodles are fried in deep fat (hot enough to brown inch-cube of bread in 40 seconds). They come out crispier if you use them fine-cut and do not cook at all before frying. (But they make more bulk if you boil them well before frying.) Best have frying basket for lowering and raising them from fat. Drain on unglazed paper and sprinkle with salt.

Noodles With Buttered Crumbs.

Another slick idea: Noodles topped with buttered crumbs. Here's how: Boil and drain noodles. But into serving dish. Brown 1 cup fine dry crumbs in 350 F. oven. Then mix these with 5 tablespoons hot, melted butter. Turn over hot noodles.

Noodles with cheese crust are delicious, too. Like this: Turn hot, drained noodles into shallow baking dish. Pour over them 1-2 cup hot milk. Then sprinkle over 1 cup grated or shaved American cheese.

Dot with 2 tablespoons butter, sprinkle with paprika and brown under broiling flame till cheese is melted.

Send for Spaghetti Recipes.
Since noodles are good with many of the same sauces used on spaghetti, you might like to have my bulletin, "Spaghetti and How to Cook Italian Dinners." (That is, if you haven't this bulletin already.) Send 6c in loose stamps with self-addressed envelope and coupon below.

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Stuffed Turnip Recipe Takes Weekly Prize

Corn and Cheese Filling Topped With Crumbs for Oven Dish.

The turnip, a hardy biennial plant cultivated from a remote period for its fleshy roots, is the main ingredient in this week's prize winning recipe. It belongs to the mustard family, which accounts for its acid taste.

The \$5 weekly prize goes to Mrs. Charles Leffler, 3925 Jennifer street northwest for her stuffed turnip cups recipe, which follows:

Stuffed Turnip Cups.

Peel and cut turnips in half. Boil in salted water until tender. Scoop out centers and stuff with fresh cooked corn, a few small pieces of pimento to give it a dash of color and shredded bread crumbs with dots of butter on top. Bake only long enough to brown top. Serve one-half to a person.

How to Keep Well

By Dr. W. A. Evans

A group of Boston physicians have been doing some surgery in a field that is new. This surgery opens up possibilities that were not the objectives of the operations undertaken. The operation consisted in the complete removal of the thyroid gland. It was done in certain cases of dropsy caused by heart disease. In these cases compensation had broken, the heart could not keep the blood circulating properly, there was congestion, and in consequence the tissues were waterlogged. The immediate danger was due to waterlogging of the lungs. Cases were chosen because there was enough vitality to withstand the shock of operation, but in which the heart was unable to keep the tissues supplied with all the needed blood.

The theory was as follows: The thyroid determines the rate at which the tissues use up the fuel supplied them through the blood. Removal of this gland would cause something of a myxedema. In this disease the metabolism is low. The crippled heart should be able to supply enough blood when metabolism is low, although it is unequal to the task when it is high. Therefore, removal of the thyroid, in appropriate cases, should cause the dropsy to disappear and the waterlogged lungs to work better.

This appears to have been the result in a small number of cases operated on. The myxedema produced was not so bad but that the person got along fairly well, and the effects on the circulation, the heart, and the dropsy were more than enough to compensate.

The new ground to which all this may apply is arteriosclerosis, or high blood pressure. The theory on which the suggestion is based is that an increased metabolism lies at the basis of arteriosclerosis, or hardening of the arteries. There is a trend toward the opinion that high blood pressure is a compensation process—an effect—and unless we can do something to remove the cause the patient does better if no direct attention is paid to the pressure.

The Family Marketer

Cold Weather Sends Fruit and Vegetable Prices Higher.

If the weather over the week-end is as bad as the Marketer found it yesterday, you'll not want to do anything but huddle over the comfort of the grate fire and thank your stars for the coziness of home. But bad weather or good, the housewife must buy. And so, the Marketer offers to you the week-end prices.

One market man, who adds that all his meats are "specially fine," sells round steaks for 25 to 30 cents a pound; porterhouse, 35 to 40, and sirloin the same as the porterhouse. Oven rib roasts of beef sell at 20 to 25 cents a pound, shoulder clod 20 cents a pound, small shoulder cuts are 25 cents a pound. Fresh hams are 15 to 20 cents, the cured hams are 15 cents a pound. Stewing lamb is 15 cents, a leg o' lamb is 20 to 25 cents a pound.

Plate beef that make a good and inexpensive stew is 8 to 10 cents a pound, chuck roast, for pot roasts, is 15 to 20 cents. Hamburg is 15, 20 and 25 cents a pound.

So much for meats.

Rhubarb is back, traveling to market from California to sell for 20 cents a pound. A delicious dessert can be made of stewed rhubarb and cottage cheese, served in layers in individual dishes. Your family won't know what they're eating, but they'll like it.

Because of the cold weather and the lack of local fruits and vegetables on the market, the prices have mounted a little. Beets, carrots and turnips have hopped from 5 cents a bunch to 7½ cents. Summer squash and yellow crook-necked squash are 7½ cents a pound as well. Brussels sprouts are 15 cents a pound, peas, three pounds for 25 cents, spinach two pounds for 15 cents, or four for 25 cents. Lima beans are three pounds for 25 cents, string beans the same price.

Maine potatoes are 45 cents for a 15-pound bag, sweet potatoes are seven pounds for 25 cents. Carrots in bulk are three pounds for 10 cents. Broccoli is 20 cents a bunch, egg plant, two for 25 cents. Artichokes, three for 25 cents.

Celery sells at 25 cents for three bunches, lettuce three heads for 25 cents, radishes are 5 cents a bunch, cucumbers, 5 cents each, green peppers, two for 5 or 25 cents a dozen. Spring onions are three bunches for 10 cents, cooking onions are six pounds for 25 cents. Jonathan apples are six pounds for 25 cents. Delicious are six for 25 cents. Oranges are 20 cents a dozen, but you save money by buying three dozen for 50 cents. Grapefruit sets for 25 cents for three, four or five. Grapes are 12½ cents a pound, lemons, 20 cents a dozen, pears, for eating, six for 25 cents. Cooking apples are six pounds for 25 cents, or \$1.25 a bushel. Mushrooms are 30 cents a pound.

Because the Marketer has received a number of requests for a recipe for stuffed eggplant, we'll give you one that she thinks very good. It should be served as a main dish, because it is nourishing and rather filling.

Stuffed Eggplant.

1 Medium-sized eggplant
1 Cup raw mushrooms
¼ Cup chopped onions
1 Cup minced ham (or other chopped meat)

Tablespoons butter
½ Teaspoon salt
Cut slice from side of eggplant leaving stem on, or cut in halves lengthwise; scoop out meat to within half an inch of the outer skin. Peel mushrooms. Chop mushrooms and eggplant meal coarsely (do not grind) and saute in butter with onions for 10 minutes. Add ham and seasonings. Fill eggplant shell and sprinkle top with buttered bread crumbs. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) until heated through and brown. Serve with thin strips of pimento, if desired, arranged crosswise on top.

Call the Family Marketer, The Washington Post, National 4205, Extension 105, for further information. Or write, inclosing a stamped, addressed envelope.

McCormick Dinner Service Auctioned

New York, Jan. 5 (AP).—More of Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick's rich possessions were placed on the auction block today, chief among them the famous Borghese dinner service.

The service, for many years a museum piece, was given by Napoleon to his sister Pauline after her marriage to Prince Borghese. The historic set serves 72 persons, but was divided up into 147 lots on the auction catalogue.

Mrs. McCormick's daughter, Muriel, now Mrs. Elisha Dyer Hubbard, was present again with her husband. She has already purchased thousands of dollars of her mother's possessions.

A few rows back, looking wistfully at the McCormick treasures and Mrs. Hubbard, was Edward Krenn, former Swiss architect and friend of Mrs. McCormick.

He said he was not present to buy anything.

"Just here to see—but it cuts my heart out," he said.

A real estate dealer in Chicago, his opinion of business conditions was sought by various persons.

"Not so good," he explained slowly, "but things are getting better."

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P&G Laundry Soap	10 cakes 29c
Palmolive Soap	cake 5c
Campbell's Tomato Juice	4 12½-oz. cans 25c
Campbell's Vegetable or Veg.-Beef Soup	2 cans 15c
Campbell's Pork and Beans	can 5c
Vermont Maid Syrup	12-oz. bottle 15c
Scot Tissue	3 rolls 22c
Waldorf Tissue	4 rolls 17c
Kraft American, Pimento or Velveta	½-lb. pkg. 15c
Borden's Chateau	½-lb. 15c
Phillips Pork and Beans	6 16-oz. cans 25c
Leg O'Lamb	lb. 18c
Prime Rib Roast	lb. 18c
Chuck Roast	lb. 12c
Sanico Hams Whole or Half	lb. 15c
Smoked Shoulders 6 to 8 Lbs. Aver.	lb. 9c
Pork Loin Roast Whole or half	lb. 15c
Fresh Hams	lb. 15c
Fresh Shoulders	lb. 10c
Spare Ribs	lb. 10c
Briggs Scrapple	2 lbs. 25c
Sanitary's Special All-Pork Sausage Meat	2 lbs. 35c
Frankfurters Sanitary's Shingles	lb. 20c
Lima Beans in the pod	3 lbs. 29c
Bunch Turnips	2 bunches 15c
Stringless Green Beans	3 lbs. 25c
Bunch Beets	2 bunches 15c
New Cabbage	lb. 5c
Carrots	2 bunches 15c
California Celery Stalk	10c
California Peas	2 lbs. 25c
Fresh Broccoli	2 lbs. 19c
New Potatoes	4 lbs. 25c
Red Sweets	4 lbs. 15c
Nancy Hall Sweets	4 lbs. 19c
Idaho Potatoes	5 lbs. 18c
California Lemons	4 for 10c
Rome Box Apples	4 lbs. 25c
Stayman Box Apples	4 lbs. 25c
York Basket Apples	4 lbs. 19c

PRICES PREVAIL IN WASHINGTON AND VICINITY.

The Little Girl From Seattle Looked Like an Angel—And She Made Clothes Divinely

Rodier, Famed Fabric Designer, Has Surprises

They Take Strange Names, Such as Rux, Burlis, Tchecio, Niole.

Some of the newest and most interesting materials for spring are made in four shades of the same color in what the French call camaleon effect. Another new idea is fabric that is part plain and part patterned, to carry out the ensemble idea.

Rodier, one of the most important cloth manufacturers in the world, is introducing a host of novelties for the coming season. Two extremely important materials from the Rodier looms are criblyne and mix. The former is harsh to the touch and is woven of tightly twisted threads. It has wonderful draping possibilities, as it is quite heavy, there being a pound of wool to the yard, though the weave has an open and light appearance. Plain criblyne is made in three or four shades of the same color. Sometimes lighter or white threads are mixed with it to give it a frosted look. Fancy criblyne, combined with the plain, is in checks, plaids or stripes.

And It's Mixed.

Mix receives its name from the fact that it is always woven with both light and dark threads. This fabric bears a close resemblance to crepe, which has been in vogue for several seasons. The plain fabric is always made in four shades of the same color, while the fancy weaves show checks, plaids or stripes. In fact, the Rodier patterns are almost entirely based on some variety of check, plaid or stripe. The only exceptions are found in some of the printed or embroidered designs, which are conventional, floral or Persian.

In addition to criblyne and mix, important novelties are rux, burlis, tchecio, niole and diserepe. Rux is a fine weave which resembles a hard flannel. A variation of it for blouses and scarfs is done in drawn thread designs. Burlis, a member of the homespun family, is so finely woven that it resembles a crepe. Tchecio, on the order of a chevion, is soft and drapable. It makes good-looking coats. Niole is a half transparent crepe weave and is printed. Diserepe, a sort of crepe, has stripes made of slanting lines of pinpoints diagonally across the surface.

Fancy Names.

New tailleur fabrics are mixy, pastelap and plumlap. The first named is almost exactly like a man's material, in inch-wide heringbones in two shades. It is soft to the touch and drapes nicely. Pastelap is a pastel fabric woven in fine checks with rabbit's hair. The rabbit's hair is in the natural pale beige shade and makes a pleasant effect with the pale color of the wool. Plumlap also has rabbit's hair, with darker line stripes. There are many new Rodier cottons, but most of them imitate other materials. Some resemble wools. Others have a silky finish. Then there are cotton tweeds, heavy and fine.

Prominent colors are soft browns, reds shading to pinks, grays, gray greens, blues and beige.

Cleveland Girls Study Charm Rules

9,000 Strong, They Learn Secrets of Allure.

Cleveland, Jan. 5 (AP).—Health and handsomeness may be a big help; but in the opinions and hopes of some 9,000 Cleveland girls, poise and pleasant conversation go a long way toward making a girl really charming.

These girls are members of the Association of Adventurers, a "charm school" which had its start in a "health trial" when officials decided the tuberculosis death rate for Cleveland girls was still too high.

The District Dairy Council, the Academy of Medicine and other organizations are the sponsors. Each girl has been given a book for the charm course, in which she yastes her picture. For eight months the committee will correspond with girl groups, telling the girls how to be a hostess or a guest, how to pay a compliment, what to say in a given situation, and such things as admonitions about clothes and walking—for charm as well as health.

At the end of the eight months a second picture will go in each book. The difference will be charm. There are no prizes, charm being considered its own reward.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

Throwing Out a Lady.
I do not like so rough to be
With one so very friendly, but
No more of you I want to see.
Against you now the door I shut.
Yes I've dismissed you off before,
But now I throw you out once more.

I've thought you fair, but I've been told
By men who really claim to know
That underneath your charms
You hold
The deadly weapons of a foe.
To put it plain, the gossip say

You've many loves along the way.
They say insidious are your wiles,
And like Othello, I have heard,
For all the public are your smiles,
So now get out without a word.
Out, wanton temptress! I am through.

Forever and a day with you!
A slave to you I will not be.
Henceforth I'll have a life serene
No more, shall people say to me
I flirt with Lady Nicotine.
I'm sure that I can get along
Without you—but I may be wrong
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The Hat.

By KATHERINE SMITH
I found a hat in the gutter.
It had been mashed rather
Horribly
By the careless wheels
Of autos.

I picked it up, and saw
The stamp of an excellent
Haberdasher
On the band.

I wonder if the owner
Has traveled
As far.

Women Enter Law Practice Under Handicap

Ability Superior to Men's Needed for Success, Mrs. Burr Says.

One woman lawyer has to know as much as three men lawyers to fight her way to the front ranks.

When Miss N. Vashli Burr, prominent Pennsylvania lawyer, visiting the Capital, one of the first two women in America to be admitted to practice before the Supreme Court, stated that opinion yesterday she added that a lot of men would deny it—but it was so just the same.

"Women in any profession—particularly legal or medical—are handicapped from the beginning.

"Why, I remember my first case, a good 10 years ago. A woman came to my office, a rather long-some looking small square room at that time, and asked me to handle a claim against an estate.

"Her friends and so-called advisers decided her for having come to a woman lawyer and assured her she was choosing the most direct way to throw her case away.

The First Triumph.

"We showed them, though! It was a difficult case. I had to go all the way back to English common law for a precedent. I dug up a similar instance which came under an English law of 1611 and found that the same law was still good in Pennsylvania.

"In winning the case I had a victory and so did she. After that the town conceded, I think, that a woman lawyer is something more than a mere curiosity!"

Miss Burr has proven many things in court, but she herself is a living proof that beauty and brains can go hand in hand. Her Spanish type of beauty is quite as pronounced as her erudition.

"A great many people say that a professional woman loses all claims to charm," she said.

"I think that ridiculous! Why shouldn't she be able to read law books, discuss cases, argue to juries, and still retain her individuality?"

"I've had people ask me if an attractive woman didn't find it easy in court if she looked this way at the jury, and that way at the judge," Miss Burr chuckled amusedly.

"Siren Glances Don't Work." "Just let them try! As a matter of fact when a woman lawyer takes the stand she sometimes finds both jury and judge have steered themselves against this 'imaginary attraction,' like Ulysses against Circe."

"A woman lawyer has first of all to make it clear that she is there to win her case by the facts she's going to present. And usually she has to have more facts, and present them better than the average man lawyer to override an established prejudice.

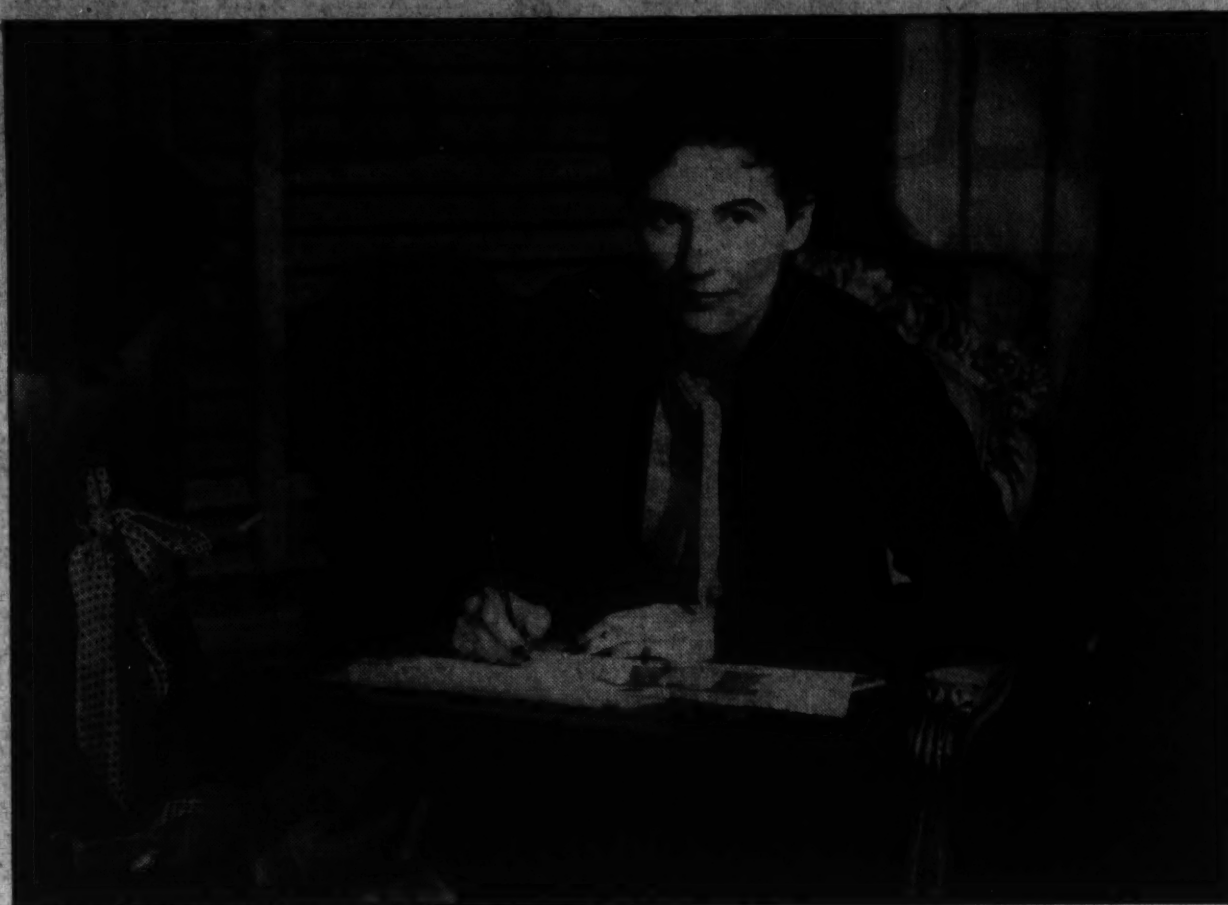
"As for criminal cases, I prefer, as a woman, to steer clear of them. I'm afraid by coming into constant contact with so much sadness and horror I'd soon harden myself so that I'd lose all natural sympathy. The first thing I knew I'd be down-right hardboiled!"

Miss Burr was the first woman to write an amendment into the Pennsylvania constitution.

A Chic That Is Crispy



A decided Victorian trend is indicated in this Muriel King evening gown of cocoa-colored faille. The stiff material is ideal for the crisp ruffles at the bottom of the sheath skirt and the twisted collar on the shoulders. Miss King, in order to retain her individuality, never duplicates a model.



Muriel King's first job, after coming to New York from Seattle, was in an advertising agency, where she worked for three weeks without pay. She says the only thing she did was to pass out a picture of the boss's cat, which she admits didn't turn out to be exactly a work of art. She entered the designing field through making clothes for her friends—at their request. Today many of the best-dressed women in this country insist upon King-created costumes.

Smart Women Now Wear Nice New Paper Clips

They Hold Things Together, in Place of Tiresome Buttons.

New York, Jan. 5 (AP).—From the spring opening of a New York designer comes the gala news today that paper clips will be used for dress trimming.

Also that waistlines are going down, gradually. This spring many belted dresses will be worn. And artificial flowers are slated for a revival on spring suits.

"These are among the new ideas of Elizabeth Hawes, the designer who gave to the fashion world its first black linen street frock and its first black evening gown.

The "paper clips" are big, and made of metal. They "clip," for example, two straight pieces of starched linen, so they stand up and make a collar. Clips also appear on starched linen cuffs.

Bag clasps and curtain rings also will be used as fasteners this spring on women's dresses.

Waistlines so far are only a shade lower. They are fitted at near normal; but belts are vanishing, and by next year, the world is expected to want a lower waistline.

Some skirts are circular, but many are straight. Through the hips they are closely fitted, and have front fullness from a kick pleat.

Broad shoulders have gone out, it seems. But collars are on the increase. High necklines are still good, and are expected to continue through the summer.

Dark green is heralded as a leading spring color, and it is thought that colors will grow more brilliant as the season progresses. Suits in pinkish beige, apple green and lime yellow are shown.

There seems to be no rule for suit coat lengths. Some are hip length, others three-quarter, fitted at the waist, and swaggy coats will again be in style.

Immigrants Get Fewer Bumps For Dodging U. S. Exclusion

Miss Ward, Commissioner at Boston, Tells of New Leniency.

The old-style, hard-boiled method of tossing aliens around for minor infractions of immigration clauses—deliberate or accidental—has given way to a broader and fairer attitude, Miss Mary Ward, Boston's second woman commissioner of immigration and naturalization, in Washington on official business, declared in an interview yesterday.

"Tossing the poor foreigner around doesn't get us anywhere," Miss Ward explained. "We try to show him civility now, whether he is right or wrong. If he's right, he may come here to become an American; if he's wrong, he may go back home and carry tales about the sort of reception he received. We want him in either case to retain a high opinion of our people and their good manners."

Miss Ward related, among her many experiences with immigrants, how she had been able, through a little "domestic relations" work with an Irish immigrant husband and an American wife, to prevent deportation of the man on a charge of deserting his wife and two-year-old boy.

"Mistaken Self-Sacrifice." "Panic-stricken when told he had tuberculosis, and without money to take care of himself, the Irishman fled his family and went to the West Coast, presumably to remove a burden from his wife and son, and to die," she said.

"The wife, in anger at his desertion, had him held for desertion. He was to be deported. After studying the case and discovering that the wife would never command an income sufficient to rear the child, the husband's health could be restored, and that he was willing to provide for his family once his fear of death was removed, we felt the solution of the case was in making peace between husband and wife, which we did. Afterward I had a grateful letter from them."

Another was the case of a Scandinavian sailor, so busy making merry that he failed to board his ship which left Boston just before the Christmas holidays.

"Instead of deporting him for deserting his ship—which could have been the technical interpretation of his act—we paroled him to a clergyman of his own nationality who does welfare work with sailors. He

and Monday. Lengthened weekends, six or eight times a year, will ease the strain in the business world and be of great assistance in family and social life.

The mid-week holiday becomes almost an impossibility in industrial communities where the five-day working week is being gradually adopted as an almost universal practice. A holiday in the middle of a five-day working week is disastrous to efficiency and costly to industry. It is likely to be resented by the workers themselves, for it is less important as a rest period than their ordinary week-end."

"Dr. Edward S. Schwieger, a Roman Catholic authority, says: 'The advantages to clergymen and church members generally of a permanent holiday in conjunction with Christmas are obvious. There will always be a whole day of rest and quiet in preparation for the great church feast.'

At present the 365 days of the year include 289 which are observed as legal holidays in some one or more countries. Russia, by abolishing Sunday observance and introducing a shorter day week, has added another element of variation to the confusion. Moreover, the present trend throughout the world is toward more, rather than fewer, holidays.

All Holidays Fall on Monday In Proposed Calendar Reform

League of Nations Looks at Past Christmas for Example.

All holidays, including Christmas and New Year and everything except perhaps the Fourth of July, may fall on Monday soon.

The League of Nations is making careful observations and studies to determine whether Monday is the most convenient date for holidays in the proposed revision of the calendar.

Public bodies have been invited to report to the league on the basis of this Christmas observance, whether a Monday Christmas is better than one occurring on other week days.

International proposals for reorganizing the calendar are being considered by the league. It is argued that industrial efficiency and human convenience demands that holidays should fall on week-ends.

One of the leading calendar experts says:

"Holidays are beneficial mainly as extra periods of rest and recreation. They will be more beneficial if they are always arranged so that they mean an extended week-end, giving three continuous days of rest and recreation—Saturday, Sunday

Muff Gloves Latest Fashion

Glove Cuffs Turn Down to Make Furry Covering Over Hands.

Chicago, Jan. 5 (AP).—There are muffs and still more muffs designed for feminine wear this season, and they even come in muff gloves and knee muffs.

Muff gloves are almost as new as the new year, for they are just now appearing in glove sections—and not all glove sections, at that.

The trick is in the cleverly-cut and finished cuffs. When these new hand coverings are worn simply as a glove with the cuff turned back they resemble wide-cuffed gauntlets of Russian inspiration.

But when the cuffs are turned down over the hands, the result, if the wearer holds her hands together, is a muff, the cuffs having sufficient body to hold a rounded contour.

They come in leather and fabric and their newness and novelty makes them rather expensive as gloves go.

Knee muffs are designed for the purpose described by their name, and their wearers, underwear sections report, are not confirmed to rheumatic grandmothers.

These close-fitting knitted cold defenders are woolen—or at least part woolen. They are relatives of that new type of feminine underwear knitted of part wool and cotton or silk, or rabbit's hair.

Citizens Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Rockville Pike Citizens Association, scheduled for Monday, was postponed yesterday, because of illness in the home of William H. Talbot, Montgomery County historian.

CWA Symphony Billed

At Richmond Tomorrow

Richmond, Jan. 5 (AP).—The first concert of the Civil Works Administration Symphony Orchestra, at Richmond, will be given Sunday afternoon instead of the following Sunday as previously reported, Miss Elizabeth Franklin Woodson, director, said today.

Mrs. William R. Trigg, Jr., director, in addition to the orchestra, will lead a concert orchestra and brass band, a concert orchestra and three dance orchestras have been made possible by the appropriation of \$20,000 by the Virginia Civil Works Administration. Only local musicians and singers are to be employed.

F-T. A. Meets Tuesday.

There will be a special speaker at the regular meeting of Oxon Hill, Md., Parent-Teacher Association Tuesday.

Muriel King Rose Over Night To Fame as a Dress Designer

Eighteen Months Ago She Was Almost Penniless in New York; Then Like a Fiction Heroine Fate Swept Her to Unexpected Triumph.

A beautiful gown—the rich woman chooses it carefully, with an eye to discreetly enhancing her natural beauty. She turns to the great dictators of fashion to suggest to her what to wear. How seldom does she pause to consider the romance of dressmaking, the great behind-the-scenes drama of the art of the couturiere. Yet the careers of those who design her clothes are often intensely fascinating.

This is the sixth of a series of articles recounting the stories of the world's famous dressmakers of the younger generation.

By Virginia Lee Warren.

A year and a half ago a goddess-like young creature named Muriel King, who had come to New York from Seattle, was, in her own words, "very broke." Today Miss King is considered one of the really great American dress designers. In addition to fame she probably has a substantial start toward a fortune, as she runs her salon at 32 East Sixty-first street on a strictly cash basis. But the customers seem perfectly willing to relinquish charge accounts if they may only purchase the suavely elegant costumes created by the charming, brown-skinned, black-eyed, dark-haired young woman from Seattle.

The first costumes ever designed by Muriel King were picturesque affairs for Maurice Brown's little theater, while she was attending the University of Washington. That was about 13 years ago. Then she moved to New York with her family and studied at the School of Fine and Applied Arts and the Art Students' League.

After she had finished her art studies she became a free-lance fashion artist for magazines, advertising agencies and exclusive shops. But like all ambitious fashion artists, she had her eyes on Paris. After a year or so of free-lancing in New York she went to the French capital, where she drew pictures of clothes for Vogue and Femina. This work required her to visit the outstanding dressmakers' salons and to attend glittering night clubs and the fashionable races, so that she could see what the best-dressed women in Paris were wearing.

She Knew Her Paris. After spending three eight-month stretches in Paris the young woman from Seattle could have named right off the bat the shows with the brightest music, the horse to pick at Longchamps, the best days for leaving at the Ritz and the favorite color of Countess so-and-so.

When she returned to New York her women friends gathered round to hear all about wicked Paris and the latest styles. Miss King generously described some of the intriguing customs she had seen, and she had been so much interested in their efforts to plan dresses that they would rival those created by the French haute couture.

So well did she do this job that when it was suggested that she go into designing on her own, she gave the idea serious consideration. The more she considered it the more she liked it. After all, why not? And then she realized that there was a very good reason, "why not?"

She had no money. She was a year and a half ago when she and her husband, Allen Salsburg, the artist, were trying to prove that two could live as cheaply as one and that one could live on practically nothing.

Enter the Capitalist. Then a friend who had a fondness for gambling and seeing young women get ahead in the world advanced the money for the dress-making establishment. Muriel King went to work. Now, in addition to her own salon, she has a showroom called the Shop of American Design in B. Altman's, Fifth avenue store.

Fifteen century armor inspired the designs for the first collection shown in the Shop of American Design. Although she drew upon Europe for her inspiration, Miss King used only American fabrics, proving that beautiful clothes can be made without depending upon the materials of France. But she clung to the genuine couture tradition, making complete wardrobes of contained garments for every hour of the day and evening.

Velvet is a high favorite with her, and with this supple, luxurious fabric she achieves stylized clothes that are deliciously elegant without being sumptuous.

It Was Fleecy. One of the favorites in the collection which opened the Shop of American Design was a formal velvet afternoon suit called "Fleecy." Old-fashioned black skunk fur and fine white lace were delightfully combined with black velvet to create this ensemble with a quaint gay nineties charm.

Muriel King is responsible for the present vogue of ottoman. It appeared frequently in her autumn showing, along with failles, tweeds, broadcloths, and taffetas. Her color sense is unusually refined and she leans strongly to grays, black, and white. She has made a special study of the less-than-perfect figure and has a genius for minimizing its defects. She, herself, resembles a modern Diana with a mop of short black curls and a disarming smile.

Colds Require Rest, Light Diet, Plenty of Fruits. Colds are common this month—and few there be who escape them. Authorities disagree on the cause, but almost all advise complete rest. Go to bed if possible. A day away from work when a cold first appears may save many days' absence later.

Don't feed a cold as grandmother advised. Follow a light diet, consisting largely of fruits and vegetables. Citrus fruits, particularly fresh fruit juices, are widely used.

Whistler's Mother on Way To Baltimore From West.

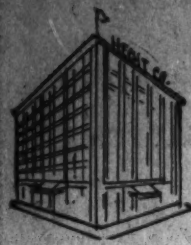
Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 5 (AP).—Elaborately packed after being photographed with the front page of a current newspaper, William McNeill Whistler's famous painting of his mother was shipped to Baltimore today.

Under orders of the Louvre Gallery, Paris, which owns the painting, it is photographed upon every arrival and departure to assure means of tracing any substitution.

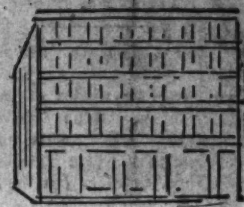
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Col. Cooper Defiant Over Indictment

Declares Record Is Open and Says He Will Explore "Infamy."

Banker Renews Charges of "Plot" to Wreck Banks.

Charges of a conspiracy on the part of Treasury Department officials to wreck banks throughout the country were reiterated yesterday by Col. Wade H. Cooper, who said he believed "they got busy to indict me, thinking to browbeat me into submission to their lawless plan."

Col. Cooper, president of the closed Commercial National Bank, whose affairs have been under investigation by the Department of Justice, said:

"I expect to expose the infamy of the whole gang, regardless of what they do."

"I have no fear about the indictment at all. My record is an open book."

Issues Statement.

The Commercial's president issued a statement in which he said: "Some time before Christmas, I called attention to the fact that certain officials of the Treasury Department had entered into a conspiracy to wreck a number of banks in violation of the conservation act. He suggested I assemble the facts, and let him have them. I have been engaged in doing this."

"Manifestly, some one in the District Attorney's office let these people know about it, and they got busy to indict me, thinking to browbeat me into submission to their lawless plan to wreck banks throughout the country."

Auditors Before Grand Jury.

The grand jury was in session yesterday, under the direction of United States Attorney Leo A. Rover. Among those who were seen to enter the jury room were auditors of the Department of Justice and Robert C. Baldwin, receiver for the Commercial National Bank.

Any indictments will be reported in open court Monday.

Col. Cooper, also president of the United States Savings Bank, which has been denied permission to reopen, has been at loggheads with Treasury Department officials for ten months.

Plans he submitted for the reopening were rejected, and an appeal from a recent court order, sustaining the Treasury's rejection of one plan, is pending.

The Commercial National Bank absorbed the Continental Trust Co. January 18, 1930.

Counterfeit Money Passer Sentenced

Given 6-14 Years, Fined \$5,000 Here.

Found guilty of passing five counterfeit \$20 bills, Paul Montfort yesterday was sentenced to serve an indeterminate sentence of from 6 to 14 years, and fined \$5,000.

Justice Peyton Gordon, District Supreme Court, ordered Montfort to serve from three to seven years on each of two counts, and the same on each of three counts. The sentences to run consecutively.

Montfort was arrested in front of an F street theater after the cashier, Miss M. I. Dean, examined a \$20 bill he gave her, and called police after telling Montfort to wait. Four other places where bad money had been passed were disclosed by Montfort.

Final Chest Total Short \$400,000

\$1,548,451 Fund Requires Drastic Budget Cuts.

Final figures compiled by the Community Chest audit show a total of 117,565 contributions amounting to \$1,548,451.36 for the campaign which ended in December. The amount falls about \$400,000 short of the goal set, the workers raising 79.6 per cent of the \$1,945,235.93 which was sought.

The shortage, according to Chest officials, will necessitate drastic rearrangement of the social work program in the city. The budget committee, of which Joshua Evans, Jr., is chairman, is meeting day and night, seeking to adjust the needs of the various Chest organizations to the amounts pledged.

McCarl Will Scan New Expenditures

Accounting Office to Pass on Funds.

Extraordinary Government expenditures of the recovery program will hereafter come under the eagle eye of the Comptroller General, J. W. McCarl, according to the Associated Press.

Under authority reposed Thursday in the General Accounting Office by Executive order, it must make such audits with an appropriation of \$450,000. Officials in the Accounting Office plan to increase its force by 150 to 250 accountants to carry out this new work.

Previously, emergency expenditures have not been subjected to any coordinated control.

Work of Artists Under CWA Here Accepted For Exhibition in Schools and Libraries



This Hawaiian scene (upper), the work of Elizabeth Barnes, was accepted for exhibition in the Public Library yesterday by the committee in charge of the CWA art program in Washington. The committee is shown in the lower picture, inspecting the painting. Left to right, Grant H. Code, Mrs. George Sloan, chairman of the Virginia subcommittee; Olin Dows, C. Powell Minnigerode, Duncan Phillips, C. Law Watkins and Charles Bittering.

Penalty Rules For Firemen May Be Eased

Bride Ponders Legality of Overtime, Custom Here 25 Years.

A policy of more than 25 years standing in the District Fire Department may be upset by an opinion on punishing firemen, now being drafted by Corporation Counsel William W. Bridge, it was learned yesterday.

The fire trial board long has followed the practice of giving derelict firemen extra hours of duty as well as fining them, but a challenge in District Supreme Court led the Commissioners to ask Bridge whether such penalties are legal.

Fire Chief George S. Watson suspended extra-hour sentences now being served by five firemen after Bridge informally stated the penalty has no basis in District law. He said afterward that never before had he been asked for an opinion. The question was raised by Attorneys Paul E. Jamieson and Thomas H. Patterson in their appeal from a trial board penalty imposed on Private Charles Comegys December 4. Comegys first was given 800 hours of extra duty, following an altercation with a motorist after a collision.

After the fireman's attorneys had appealed to the Commissioners, Chief Watson reduced the penalty to 300 extra hours and \$100 fine.

Hotel Absolved of Liability After Loss of Two Fur Coats

Tenants of Apartment Ruled Not Guests of Hostelry.

The Shoreham Hotel, in renting a furnished apartment to Col. and Mrs. C. L. Eastman, did not assume the responsibility of an innkeeper toward two fur coats subsequently missing from the apartment, a District Supreme Court jury found yesterday.

Mrs. Eastman sued the receivers for the Shoreham for the value of the coats, which disappeared during her absence from Washington. Negligence in insuring property of guests was charged.

Justice Oscar R. Lurhing held there had been no negligence, and

Other Creations Still Under Way; Committee Finds Progress Good.

A number of artists employed by the Civil Works Administration yesterday were told their work has been accepted for exhibition in schools and libraries of the District. The news was given out by the District committee in charge of the CWA art project at a display in the Corcoran Art Gallery. Other artists have not yet received public mention because their work, which includes murals, panels and bas-reliefs, is still in process of development.

Pieces accepted include a Hawaiian scene, by Elizabeth Barnes; a pair of blue macaws, by Julia Eckels; an interior, by Mrs. Cara Draper Kimberly; a view of the garden in the Pan-American Building, by Mary E. Saltzman; a satyr and a view of the Monument, by Roland Lyon; a series of panels, by Hugh Collins, Lee Bartlett and Jane MacKenzie, and five water-colors, by Joe Goethe.

All the artists were given individual criticism by the committee, and satisfaction over their progress was expressed.

The members of the committee are Duncan Phillips, director of the Phillips Memorial Gallery; C. Law Watkins, C. Powell Minnigerode, director of the Corcoran Gallery of Art; Olin Dows, Charles Bittering, Grant H. Code, and Mrs. George Sloan, chairman of the Virginia subcommittee.

This was appealed, however, to District Supreme Court.

Jamieson is attorney for the City Fire Fighters Association, and has been a leader in the demand for a Congressional investigation of charges that Watson is too harsh with firemen.

Man Is Given Year In "Beer Swindle"

Jack Watkins, colored, was sentenced to serve 1 year to 13 months in jail by Justice Peyton Gordon yesterday on two convictions of obtaining a truck load of beer on pretense that it was wanted by Senator Glass of Virginia, for a party.

Though Watkins presented a check signed by the senator for the beer, Mr. Glass knew nothing about the transaction.

Hit-Run Death Holds Motorist To Grand Jury

Horace W. Peters Faces Charge in Killing of Post Employee.

A coroner's jury yesterday ordered Horace W. Peters, 23, of 2135 California street northwest, held for action of the grand jury in connection with the hit-and-run death of Raymond Perkins, an employee in the circulation department of The Post, of 1650 Thirty-second street northwest.

Perkins, who died Tuesday, was struck, police said, as he was standing in a safety zone on Connecticut avenue and the Kingle Bridge early Monday morning. The driver did not stop.

Peters, according to police, was arrested at a downtown restaurant after a telephone operator at headquarters had traced a call from a person who said he was the car's driver. He admitted striking Perkins, police charged.

The coroner's jury exonerated Ernest E. Pollard, colored, in connection with the death of Wellford McChes, 25, of 135 E street northwest. Wellford died after his motorcycle crashed into the rear of Pollard's car at Sixth and E streets northwest, early last month.

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Home Loans Declared Far Below Needs

Poor Progress Here Laid to Mortgagees and Misinformation.

Radio Explanation Will Clarify Workings of Local Office.

Disappointment over the small number of loans closed by the local office of the Home Owners Loan Corporation was expressed yesterday by Paul J. Frizzell, manager.

Pointing out that only 100 loans have been closed since the office opened last August, Mr. Frizzell declared this showing is entirely inadequate in view of efforts of his office and in light of the need for aid in the District.

Poor progress of the office was attributed by Mr. Frizzell to the failure of mortgage holders to cooperate and to misleading advice given investors by individuals who "profess to know what they're talking about and don't."

Improvement Manifested.

The local situation, the manager said, is changing for the better. A definite change of attitude is being manifested by building and loan associations, he said. One hundred per cent cooperation from building and loan associations is expected if enactment is given the bill introduced by Representative Byron B. Harlan (Democrat), of Ohio, authorizing associations to purchase and carry as assets at par value bonds of the Home Owners Loan Corporation.

Under the Harlan bill, associations also would be authorized to subscribe and pay for shares of any Federal corporation created or authorized by law to lend money to building and loan associations. The associations, furthermore, could exchange mortgages or deeds of trust and other obligations for bonds of the corporation. Bonds could be carried as an asset at par value.

Radio Brings Response.

Such encouraging response has been given a radio address made by Mr. Frizzell two weeks ago, in which he told of the problem facing the local home loan office, that he will speak again soon, he announced yesterday.

Response to the first talk has been evidenced in willingness of numbers of mortgage holders to accept corporation bonds for notes, the manager said. A large number of plans are being submitted for the title companies, and the status of others may be changed if recalcitrant mortgagees decide to accept bonds, he said.

"Despite this," he said, "I am dissatisfied with the general situation at the present time."

Moran to Succeed Father Cavanagh

Takes Over Assumption Church Jan. 13.

The Rev. Joseph M. Moran, assistant pastor of the Shrine of the Sacred Heart, is to be installed as pastor of the Church of the Assumption, succeeding the Rev. Francis X. Cavanagh, who was killed three weeks ago in an automobile accident.

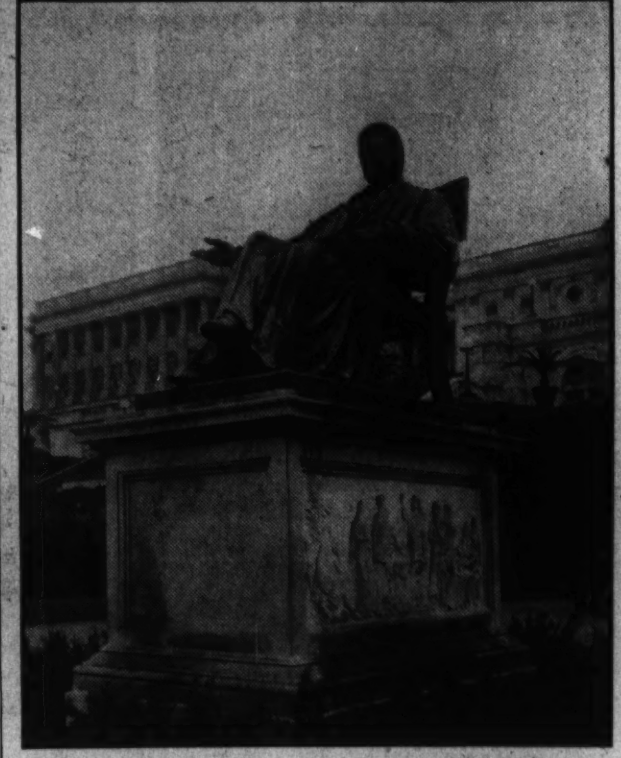
Father Moran is spiritual director of the Sodality Union and was an organizer of several Catholic laymen's societies. He was born in Piedmont, W. Va., and was educated at St. Peter's School, Westminster, Md., and St. Charles Seminary, Baltimore.

He was ordained in 1915 by the late Cardinal Gibbons and was assigned to St. Andrew's Church in Baltimore. After serving there for four years, he was transferred to St. Cypryan's Church, where he served until his transfer in 1922 to the Shrine of the Sacred Heart. He will be installed as pastor of the Church of the Assumption on January 13 by Archbishop Michael J. Curley.

Mrs. Lehrfeldt's Death Is Ruled as Suicide

Coroner A. Magruder Macdonald yesterday issued a certificate of suicide in the death of Mrs. Mae Lehrfeldt, 45, of 807 Sixth street southwest. Mrs. Lehrfeldt died Thursday night as the result of poison taken Wednesday. Her health was

Marshall Statue at Capitol, Shrine 50 Years, May Be Moved



The bronze statue of John Marshall, which greets visitors approaching the Capitol from the west, may be relocated on the grounds of the new Supreme Court after 50 years on its present site. May 10 will see the fiftieth anniversary of its unveiling and the centenary of the Chief Justice's death will be observed next year.

Supreme Court Building Is Expected to Get Historic Figure.

The Capitol will lose its chief greeter, an historical character that for almost half a century has welcomed visitors approaching from the West, if plans disclosed yesterday are carried out.

May 10 will mark the fiftieth anniversary of the unveiling of the John Marshall statue. Exercises may be held to commemorate the occasion, but whether the memorial then is in the same location is another question.

The sculptured likeness of America's most famous Chief Justice, which has reared all these years on the Capitol's west terrace, would be transferred to the new Supreme Court if arguments which have been laid before Architect David Lynn and the Fine Arts Commission are heeded. This location would be more appropriate, it is claimed.

Some favor moving the statue to the Municipal Center. Since this center is still in the blue-print-and-discussion stage, it is believed preference will be shown the Supreme Court suggestion, if the sculpture is moved at all.

The scheme has not yet been presented to the United States Supreme Court Building Commission, headed by Chief Justice Hughes, which must pass on such matters. Should it act favorably, the transfer still would require approval of Congress.

William Wetmore Story designed the statue, which is cast in bronze. It depicts John Marshall seated, facing the White House and with his right arm extended in friendly welcome. His figure is mounted on a pedestal which contains bas-relief illustrations from American history. The sculptor's father, Joseph Story, was a member of the Supreme bench when Marshall was Chief Justice.

Not only will May 10 mark the statue's fiftieth anniversary, but 1935, when the classic Supreme Court probably will be completed, will be the centenary of Marshall's death.

Stockholders to Meet.
Stockholders of the Prince Georges Bank & Trust Co. will hold their annual meeting Tuesday at 3 o'clock at the Hyattsville branch. Directors will be elected.

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Airport Bill Would Close Military Road

Act to Create Municipal Field Introduced by McSwain.

If Hoover Field Is Used, 55 Acres Estimated as Added Need.

A bill providing for a municipal airport for Washington was introduced in the House yesterday by Representative John J. McSwain (Democrat), South Carolina, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee.

The bill was referred to McSwain's committee. He said he expected to hold hearings on the measure soon.

The bill provides for appointment by the President of three commissioners, one from the District of Columbia, one from Maryland and one from Virginia. These commissioners would serve for six years without pay.

The commissioners would be authorized to acquire a site, equip and operate it, and to employ the necessary personnel. The bill provides that if the commission should acquire the present Hoover Airport, the military road now intersecting the site would be abandoned. If the Hoover Airport is acquired, the Secretary of Agriculture would be authorized to transfer to the commission so much of the Government experimental farm as would be needed to make the airport sufficiently large to be practical.

McSwain said such an arrangement would provide five runways, making possible taking off and landing safely in any direction. The bill provides that expenditures shall be appropriated half from the general fund and half from District funds. It also authorizes purchase of land by condemnation proceedings.

"The Capital of the country where aviation had its origin should not be disgraced by not having a good airport," McSwain said. "The American who visits London, Paris or Berlin is humiliated when he compares airports there with the lack of facilities in Washington."

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of 1325 F Street

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1331 F Street

Both Major Leagues Adopt American's Livelier Ball at Parley

New Sphere
Puts End to
ProblemNational 'Compromises,'
Accepting One Used
by Rival Loop.New Pellet Medium Be-
tween Jack Rabbit and
Slow One.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 (AP).—The National League compromised today with the American League on standardization of the baseball—like a husband who wants to go to the mountains compromises with his wife who wants to go to the seashore.

The National League accepted the speedier American League ball in toto.

Presidents John A. Heydler and William Harridge, of the two major circuits; Thomas S. Shibe, part owner of the Athletics, and Julian W. Curtis, head of one of two companies that manufacture the balls, met in conference in Philadelphia and carried out the standardization mandate passed recently at the joint meetings in Chicago.

Part National Triumph.

While the specifications decided upon are those of the ball used in the American League last season, the final "happy ending" of a problem that has plagued major league baseball for many years was a part triumph for the National League.

Faster though this new ball will be, it still is far slower than the "jack rabbit" pellet the two leagues used a few years ago and to which, in theory, the American League still clings. After 1930, when Babe Ruth popped 56 home runs into the stands and even tiny Rabbit Maranville and Hughie Critz chased outfielders out of sight, the National League called "time" and started removing the lightning from within the horseshoe cover.

Thickened Cover.

While the American League manufacturer, Tom Shibe, continued to build a sphere to suit sluggers of the Babe Ruth, Jimmy Fox and Al Simmons type, slower than the "menace" ball, but still fast, the National League thickened its cover, lessened the winding and added slightly to the stitching so that pitchers got a better grip.

The new standard ball, therefore, is actually a sort of medium between the "jack rabbit" of the American League at its fastest and the reaction ball of the National League at its slowest.

The specifications, eight in number and made public over the signatures of the two league presidents and the manufacturers after the conference today, are highly technical and indicate that there is much more to the making of a baseball than any but those engaged in the trade suspected.

Cushion Cork Center.

The ball will have a cushion cork center weighing 1/4 of an ounce, the cushion being provided by one layer of black rubber and another of red, reason for which unknown.

Then comes 71 yards of blue-gray woolen yarn, building the ball up to a circumference of 7 1/2 inches and the weight to 3 1/2 ounces. Next 41 yards of white woolen yarn are wrapped on, and the circumference has become 8 1/4 inches, the weight 3 1/2 ounces. A coat of special rubber cement is applied.

Two more wrappings of wool, the first 41 yards of blue-gray woolen, the second a final 100 yards of 20/2 ply fine cotton, provide a circumference of 8 1/2 inches and a weight 4 1/2 ounces to which another coat of rubber cement is applied.

Special Horsehide.

The cover is a special aluminum-horseshoe, weighing 1/2 ounce and 5/100 of an inch thick, and sewn with a double stitch of four-strand red thread. The finished ball is 9 to 9 1/4 inches in circumference and should weigh 5 to 5 1/4 ounces.

These specifications, incidentally, are the first ever made public by the manufacturers, who in the past have jealously guarded such details. As far as the public and anxious ball players are concerned, their significance is simple.

They are the specifications for last year's American League Ball.

Four Games on Slate
Today at Boys' Club

Four basketball games are scheduled for the Washington Boys' Club today, according to an announcement by Charlie Reynolds, athletic director of the club. At 3:15 the Boys' Club Vulcans will battle the Merrick Boys Club, while the Boys' Club Cards tackle another Merrick five at 4 o'clock.

In the evening's play, the Boys' Club Americans meet another Merrick team at 7:30 and at 8:30 o'clock the Boys' Club Varsity engages the Atlas Sport Shop.

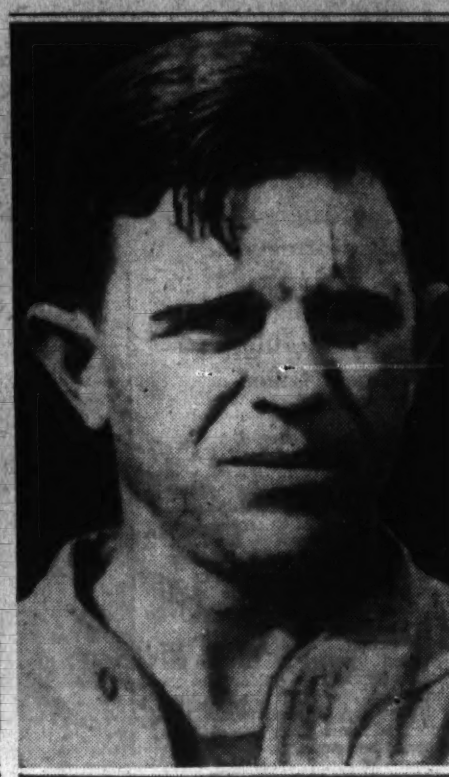
Grid Officials Elect.

Clarkburg, W. Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Delegate Patrick Beacom, of Huntington, representing Cabell County in the State House of Delegates, has been elected president of the West Virginia Football Officials Association for 1934. He succeeds State Senator Charles E. Hodges, of Morgantown. Other officers are Dr. Carl P. Schott, of Morgantown; C. W. Strickling, of Huntington; and J. L. Biffert, of Charleston, vice president; and Philip Hill, of Charleston, secretary.

He Is Given His Release -- He Remains as Yank Coach



HERB PENNOCK.



JOE SEWELL.

Traveling Reporter Gets
Lowdown on Miami BattleLearns About Market and Badminton, but Not Carnera-
Loughran; Words of Wisdom Finally Come
From Mouth of Babe.

By Bill McCormick.

A MEMBER of the capitol brigade was among the big shots invited to take a tantalizingly short ride on the initial run of Mr. Eddie Plack's Florida-bound Orange Blossom Special the other day. Thrown in among a group of Big Business Men, publishers, editors, other intellectuals of one sort or another and a few nondescript like himself, he decided to absorb from the upper strata some first-hand information on the outlook for the Carnera-Loughran fight in Miami February 22.

"What do you think of the big fight," he queried an impressive-looking Big Business Man, who was carefully brushing the ashes from a \$150 cigar from the vest of a \$150 oxford gray suit.

"Well, I'll tell you, it looks like a tough battle, but I'm afraid the inflationists are going to win out. However, you never can tell what Congress will do."

"What about the big prize fight down in Florida next month," he was informed reproachfully.

Who's Fighting?

The Big Business Man inhaled a copious gasp of Mr. Eddie Plack's official, filtered, washed and cooled club car air, ruminated a while with a big puff from the \$150 cigar and asked who was fighting.

The next person approached was Buck Herzog, erstwhile Giant pitcher, who is now a large-caliber railroad official, dedicating his time to coaching athletes to do their traveling in the plush-covered seats of his road's Pullman cars.

"Buck, who do you think will win the Carnera-Loughran fight next month?" he was asked.

"Are they fighting?" he replied, in a very southern pitcher manner, answering one question by asking another. "I didn't even know they were mad at each other. Now take the Giants—there's a team!"

Back through the train the indefatigable interrogator wended his way, sounding out public opinion on the February fight and getting plenty of information on everything from the stock market to badminton, but none whatsoever on the heavyweight championship bout.

Porter Ventures Answer.

In the observation, or lounge car, as Mr. Eddie Plack was wont to describe it in his advertising material, he put the apparently unanswerable question up to the porter.

"Boss, I sh'd hope they don't start fightin' on this train," replied the dusky gentleman, glancing nervously about. "That Mr. Carnera is a powerful feller."

Boston Ball Park
Damaged by Fire\$250,000 Damage Done at
Plant and Vicinity.

Boston, Jan. 5 (AP).—Damage estimated at \$250,000 was done by fire at Fenway Park, home of the Boston Red Sox baseball team, and to nearby business place this afternoon.

Most of the loss was charged to the destruction of the center-field bleachers at the park, but several tile company plants and garages also suffered.

The whole baseball park was undergoing reconstruction. The expenditure was estimated at close to \$500,000, with about \$225,000 devoted to new center-field stands. The flames wiped out this part of the project.

Premiers Seek Games.

The Premier Cab Co. basketball quintet wants games in the 130-point class with teams having gym on Tuesdays and Fridays. Call Lincoln 1329.

Yankees Give
Sewell Job
As CoachPennock Is Released After
21-Year Career; One
of Best Southpaws.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 (AP).—The New York Yankees formally confirmed today the unconditional release of Herb Pennock, veteran southpaw pitcher with a 21-year big league service record, but softened similar notice to Joe Sewell, veteran infielder, by announcing his reengagement as a nonplaying coach for 1934.

Sewell will replace Jimmy (Sunset) Burke, who has been one of Manager Joe McCarthy's aids for the past two years and prior to that a coach with the Chicago Cubs. Burke has resigned.

The Yankees will economize by having only two coaches this year instead of three. Art Fletcher, who served under Miller Huggins before coming to the Yankees, is the only one to remain on the coaching list, but no replacement will be made for Cy Perkins, battery coach, who was released to Detroit this winter.

D. C. Bowling
Duo Second
In MatchCompile Total of 1,315 to
Baltimoreans' 1,322
on Drives Here.

WASHINGTON'S double entry of "Dutch" Newman and Joe Harrison finished second to the Baltimore duo of Wilmer Robey and "Doc" Ickus in the quadrangular intercity duckpin matches got underway yesterday at Convention Hall, Washington, Conn., Boston, Baltimore and Washington men competed.

The winners carved a total of 1,322 pins in the five-game set, nosing out the District bowlers, who compiled a total of 1,315. Nick Tronky and Jack White, of Williams, were third, with 1,269, and the Boston team of La Mastra and Bonigil, which turned in a 1,215 score.

Triple-Header Strike.

A triple-header strike by Ickus in his fourth game put the Baltimoreans out in front. Robey rolled a 686 set, 10 pins better than that of his partner. Jack White's 688 was high, and Newman was a close second with 667.

Tronky exhibited real championship form in the singles, coming back with a 668 figure to top O'Leary, Max Rosenberg and Andy Zeiler. O'Leary's score was 657, while Rosenberg had a mediocre 668 and Zeiler a weak 655.

Bob O'Farrell Slated
As Reds' Next Pilot

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 5 (AP).—Bob O'Farrell, catcher of the St. Louis Cardinals, is slated to become manager of the Cincinnati Reds if he can be obtained from the Cards, Larry MacPhail, vice president and general manager of the Reds, said tonight.

O'Farrell would succeed the recently resigned Donie Bush as manager.

"My choice for manager of the Cincinnati Reds is Bob O'Farrell," MacPhail said. "At this time, I am not considering anybody but O'Farrell. I have not signed O'Farrell for the very good reason that he is the property of the St. Louis club, and we have not consummated any deal for his service."

Martinsburg, W. Va., Jan. 5.

The "painted horse" case, in which Michael Krook, of Perth Amboy, N. J., sued Shenandoah Jockey Club

Owner Wins Suit to Recover
Charles Town 'Painted Horse'

here for possession of the horse he bought during the December racing season here which was seized by the club stewards who discovered evidence that it was dyed. The case was heard in Jefferson County Circuit Court at the regular term later this month.

Appeal was taken by the club this morning after a justice of the peace, hearing the suit, had awarded Krook \$300 suit money and \$298 in damages allegedly done the horse from exposure. Bond was arranged for both the appeal and to guarantee proper keeping of the horse.

The horse had been entered for the racing here as Hustle Over. Evidence uncovered at the trial showed it had been dyed and indicated to some followers it was in reality Two Brooms. Krook denied all knowledge of the dyeing.

As a result of the disclosure the horse was ruled off West Virginia tracks and Krook banned from the racing meet by State Racing Commissioner J. B. McLaughlin after a hearing at Charleston, W. Va., a week ago.

The horse had been kept secretly in the stables of President Harry B. Langdon of the Jockey Club until a few days ago, when a constable took possession of it under bond.

Levinisky and
Schmeling
To ClashBattle Will Be Staged
in Chicago Stadium
on February 16.Jacobs Agrees to Bout;
Terms Parley Is Set
for Monday.

Chicago, Jan. 5 (AP).—Max Schmeling trading punches with King Levinisky, Chicago's wallowing former fish peddler. Schmeling, returning to America in search of additional wealth and another chance at the world's heavyweight championship, which he once held, will battle Levinisky in the Chicago Stadium February 16. The match was virtually closed today by long-distance telephone, with Joe Jacobs, manager of the German former champion, agreeing to the match from New York, and Harold Steinman, one of Levinisky's corps of managers, placing his stamp of approval in Chicago. Jacobs agreed to come to Chicago Monday to go over complete details of the contest, the division of the purse, and the length of the bout. The contest may be for ten rounds, but a compromise may be reached for 12 rounds.

Jack Dempsey Due.

Other heavyweight developments impending tomorrow, with the arrival of Jack Dempsey, who is heading for New York later to contest with Madison Square Garden officials on the proposed Max Baer-Pennock-Carnera bout, in which he intends to be a joint promoter. His stay here may start the groundwork for a match between the winner of the Levinisky-Schmeling event, and Baer, or whom he holds an option.

County Fives Open
Loop Play MondayPrince Georges Circuit Is
Revived for Year.

Play in the revived Prince Georges County Basketball League will start Monday night at the National Guard Armory in Hyattsville with two games scheduled.

In the first contest, starting at 7:30 o'clock, the St. James' Church five will meet Certified Baker, formerly the Hyattsville Athletic Club. Company F, National Guard, of Hyattsville, will face College Park Independents in the nightcap. The latter quintet is composed mainly of University of Maryland students.

Two other teams—Brentwood Hawks and Varsity Grill, of College Park—which complete the loop, will not see action until Thursday night. Two games will be played preliminary to a nonleague tilt between Company F and a quintet to be announced.

The county league is being revived following a lapse of three years. Two games will be played each Monday night and one on Thursday night.

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All-Time 'No. 1'
Cochet Ranked
Greatest of
Net GreatsTilden Puts French Star
First and Brookes, of
Australia, Second.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 (AP).—From the rich and dramatic tennis background of his remarkable career, Big Bill Tilden today put himself squarely on record as ranking Henri Cochet, of France, and Norman E. Brookes, the left-handed Australian, as his all-time No. 1 and No. 2 stars of the game.

In the "first ten" that he picked by request, based upon the span of his own competitive career since the war plus the combination of "tennis genius and stroke production," Tilden placed his old rival, "Little Bill" Johnson no better than fifth. Considering amateurs and professionals alike, here's his ranking:

1. Henri Cochet, France.
2. Norman E. Brookes, Australia.
3. Rene Lacoste, France.
4. Hans Nusslein, Germany.
5. William M. Johnston, U.S.A.
6. Vincent Richards, U.S.A.
7. Richard N. Williams, U.S.A.
8. Jean Borotra, France.
9. Bruce Barnes, U.S.A.
10. Karel Kozeluh, Czechoslovakia.

Wright, Mayes
On Card at
Portner'sFour 4-Rounders Also Are
Added to Tuesday Night
Ring Program.

SIX-ROUNDER and four four-rounders will support the Marty Gallagher-Dewey Kimrey ten-round main event at Portner's Tuesday.

Carey Wright will meet Johnny Mayes in the six-round semifinal and in four rounds Marty Ryan fights Billy Bullock. Lou Voda meets Mike Groves, Joe Green engages Tommy Horn and Billy Vermillion boxes Sailor McKenna.

Kimrey is expected to arrive today to complete training for the Gallagher bout under the watchful supervision of Harry Groves, estranged trainer of Gallagher. Gallagher has been going furiously through his paces under the eagle eye of Jim McNamara, his newly acquired conditioner, who is making a noble effort to whip the Foggy Bottom heavyweight into condition.

Many are of the opinion that Gallagher's lack of condition will result in a slow fight, which may eliminate with his falling before the sledge hammer blows of Kimrey.

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Montrose Five—Note.

Company F, National Guard, basketballers of Hyattsville, wish to cancel a game scheduled with Montrose A. C. Monday night to avoid conflict with the opening games of the Prince Georges County Basketball League.

McAllister's
66 Tops at
MiamiForest Hills Pro Cards
Two 33s to Lead in
\$2,000 Golf Play.Dow Is Second With 68;
Armour in Three-Way
Tie for 3d With 69.

M IAMI, Fla., Jan. 5 (AP).—Equaling the course record with a sparkling 66, four under par, Charles McAllister, of Forest Hills, Long Island, led the field of more than 160 golfers at the first 18-hole round of play today in the \$2,000 Miami open golf tournament.

McAllister, a pro at the Queens Valley Country Club, carded a pair of 33s which enabled him to tie the course mark hung up when Johnny Revolta, of Menominee, Mich., won the title last year.

Sheets Five Birdies.

In his blistering round, played after abatement of a high wind that had swept the 6,510-yard par 70 course in the morning, McAllister picked up 5 birdies and 12 pars and played the remaining hole in four, one over regulation figures. Two deuces were included on his round in which he clipped 40 feet into the cup on two greens.

Two strokes back of McAllister came Willie Dow, 48-year-old, gray-haired Miami pro, who chalked up a pair of 34s for a 68. He also with, and then he was traded to the ... er ... well, that other club. Sure, Old Arnold Stutz. I do believe he once played for Brooklyn. I shall observe Mr. Stutz at his golf.

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Three Tied at 31.

Joe Turnesa, of Bayside, Long Island, with a 35-34, tied at 71 with Reggie Myles, of Cleveland, Ohio, who paired a 34 with a 37, and Joe Ziemann, of South Hampton, Long Island, with 34-37, while tied at 72 were Dave Tosh, of Chicago, with a pair of 36s; John Kinder, of Asbury Park, N. J., with 37-35, and Russell Stonehouse, of Indianapolis, with a pair of 36s.

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Navy Courtmen
In Opener TodayMiddies Face Western Md.
at Annapolis.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—Naval Academy basketball toppers will open their 1934 season tomorrow afternoon when they hook up with the quint of Western Maryland College. St. John's College loopers likewise will get their first baptism under fire, meeting Virginia Military Institute at Lexington. The Johnnies will pass the week-end in the Virginia city, and on Monday will stack up against Washington and Lee.

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By Paul Gallico.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 5 (Sp.).—It is to be hoped that my clients in the frozen North, East and Midwest, will not take these forthcoming articles on the Los Angeles open golf championships in the wrong spirit. I will leave out all references to "Lush fairways in the hot afternoon sun," and "Mild breezes that cooled the feverish brows of the contestants," and confine myself strictly to golf.

I recall how it used to annoy the hell out of me to read about the Florida swag and chamber of commerce, tourneys during the cold, nasty, troupy winters in New York. I will never be annoyed again, in fact I intend to hasten home so I can enjoy some of the cold with the rest of the folks. I feel that I am entitled to my annual pneumonia, chills, wet feet and chapped lips and rather rest this Los Angeles sunshine and mild weather which has snail set in.

Ow, you should be here over Christmas and New Year's. It was just like home, only warm, cold, foggy, rainy. I caught my annual winter cold, but it isn't as good a one as I usually get at home, though I am coughing nicely. However, what I was getting around to saying was that there were certain comic aspects to this tourney and a few home sweet home.

Among the amateurs who will tee off is Arnold Stutz, the old outfielder. Remember Arnold Stutz, the great outfielder? Sure, you all remember Arnold Stutz. He used to play with the ... Ah ... well, a few years ago. I remember him, and then he was traded to the ... er ... well, that other club. Sure, Old Arnold Stutz. I do believe he once played for Brooklyn. I shall observe Mr. Stutz at his golf.

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Porter Rides Consistent Favorite

Appomattox, at \$135.40
Mutuel, Nose Victor
in Third Race.

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Debut; Westy Junior,
10-1, Triumphs.

TROPICAL PARK, Fla., Jan. 5 (AP)—Charlie K., one of the most honest and consistent players of fall and winter racing, sped to his second straight local victory and his sixth success in his last seven starts in the Gov. David Sholtz claiming handicap of a mile and a sixteenth here this afternoon. Carrying the silks of Haughton, Jones and George and with Earl Porter on his back, the \$3.70 favorite was ridden out to score by four lengths in 1:45.2-5. L. D. Odham's Dominant Miss, which came up a half paddock tip, saved the place by a half length from N. E. Stanton's Surety.

The governor and his wife and Col. Henry L. Doherty viewed the event from the "judges' stand" as guests of the association. A levee popped out on top shortly after the break and displayed a high order of speed. Charlie K. followed several lengths behind until leaving the far side. He then rushed up around the bend and overhauled the leader, stealing away to a substantial advantage. Dominant Miss and Surety were hard ridden through the stretch but Charlie K. held them in check.

New Pin Impresses

New Pin, a snappy looking gray daughter of the fashionable sire Royal Minstrel, made her highly heralded debut in the dash for maiden juveniles that opened the card and managed to drive home a half-length winner over Red Sunset. Five lengths behind came Golden Dream to earn the show.

New Pin, which is said to have worked like lightning, even better than the recent winner, No Saint, from the same stable, proved one of the shortest priced first-time starters in turf history, the filly paying \$2.70 for \$2. The gray miss failed to run as fast as expected, but she wore down Red Sunset in the last sixteenth and was drawing away slightly at the end in 0:25.2-5, two-fifths of a second away from No Saint's track record. Golden Dream always held the show safe.

Appomattox, a filly that displayed speed on occasions in the East this winter, made a spectacular debut in the second event. The J. J. Moran color bearer got up with a minute length to win by a nose at odds of \$135.40 for a deuce note. Caboose beat Broadword, a field length for the place. Appomattox was rated third while Caboose was running Broadword into defeat. W. Saunders rode a rousing finish on "Appo" and the neglected filly made the grade in the last leap.

Black Harmony Wins

The Mrs. J. H. Whitney establishment and Jockey Jones posted a double and accounted for both ends of the daily double when Black Harmony took the third purse by 3 lengths. Texas Tommy, the choice, saved second money by nearly 2 lengths from Interruption, a field horse. Black Harmony outran the field all the way and he did not draw clear until the head of the stretch. The gelding paid \$12.20.

The Veteran Harold Thuber fairly lifted Westy Junior over the line a winner of the sixth race in a head finish with Quick Potatoes. Keala was beaten 2 lengths for the place. Wedding Ring dropped out early and was fourth. Westy Junior forced most of Quick's pace and could not impose his will on the pacesetter until a few inches from the finish. Westy Junior paid \$22.80.

Spud Gets "Potatoes"

Spud earned all the "potatoes" in the fourth, a mile test in which nine well-matched players started. James River, with a big following, overcame early difficulty to finish second, a length and a half away, with Stone Martin third. Making Bubbles and Salisbury had the early foot of the field, but both stopped. Spud assumed command in the final turn and drove into a safe advantage as James River came on with a belated challenge. Spud returned \$3.70.

Royal Durbar took the finale by a nose from Babe, returning \$23.50. Rock Point was a close third.

Western Maryland's Boxers Open Jan. 20

Westminster, Md., Jan. 5 (AP). The boxing schedule of Western Maryland University was announced today, with the Green Terror leather pushers slated to open their season with the University of Maryland, the site undecided, on January 20, and closing with Catholic University of Washington.

The schedule:
January 20, University of Maryland, place not named; 27, Navy, away; 28, February 3, Catholic University of Washington, 17, intercollegiate, place not named.

Racing Selections

Jefferson Park.
(For good track.)
1—Come Down, Morrie, Enigmatis.
2—Alta, Ronny, Al. Hough.
3—All Able, Abe First, Black Barings.
4—Proctor, Duke, Hough.
5—Malmon, Pula, Don Taker.
6—Barney Barton, Happy Lad, Dus. In.
7—John Mill, Marries, Greenm.
Best bet—Fredrick.
Aqua Caliente.
(For fast track.)
1—San Rafael, Red Bull, Colosse.
2—Gene Oliver, Run Rowe, Choles.
3—Frankie, Neds, Rual Horse.
4—Cash Play, Jennie, G. Lammas.
5—Savanna, Croft, Jerald.
6—Las Palmas, Portefortia, Ernak.
7—Carmes, Foster, Al. H. Jullon.
8—Hob, Ruscens, Captain Gilbert.
9—Nob, Corvett.
Best bet—Louisville Times (A.P.).

Strange as It Seems

For further proof address the author, inclosing a stamped envelope for reply. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.



Treachery in kidnapping is as old as the crime itself in America—for the first big abduction in the New World ended in the murder of the captive after the ransom was agreed upon and paid.

This was the case of Pizarro's abduction of Atahualpa, Inca chief in Peru. Pizarro, Spanish conqueror of the Incas, marched with his men to the Inca city of Cajamarca, there inviting the Inca chief to visit him. Atahualpa, who made the mistake of having faith in Pizarro, accepted the invitation and

was accompanied into the Spanish camp by his attendants—all unarmed. The Inca chief was immediately taken captive, and 2,000 of his followers were killed by the soldiers.

For ransom he offered a roomful of gold, and twice that much in silver—a treasure estimated to have been worth \$15,000,000, the greatest ransom ever paid. Pizarro, with a treachery that characterizes kidnappers, accepted the offer, collected the ransom, then killed his victim.

Colors give added realism to strange things and happenings illustrated by John Hix on a full page in The Sunday Post.

Shepherdstown High Lists Cage Schedule

Shepherdstown, W. Va., Jan. 5 (AP).—Coach Cletus Lowe, of the Shepherdstown High School Cardinals, announced his 1934 basketball schedule, which opened tonight on the home floor with Hedgewise.

The schedule:
January 12, Harpers Ferry, there; 13, Chesapeake, here; 14, Randolph-Macon Academy, at; 15, Berkeley Springs, here; 16, Paw Paw, here; 17, St. James School, there; 18, Hedgesville, there.

Wasp Quinets Host

Emory, Va. Jan. 5 (AP).—Emory and Henry College's basketball team, seasoned by a highly successful road trip into the Southland during the Christmas holidays and hopeful of ranking high in the Virginia State championship series, will open its home season here tomorrow night, meeting Union College, of Barboursville, Ky.

Aqua Caliente Entries.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, \$400; claiming for 3-year-olds and upward.
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2—Gene Oliver, 110 (J. H. Jones) 110
3—Cash Play, 110 (J. H. Jones) 110
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Wheat Values Drift Lower; Buying Wanes

**Moderate Selling Causes
Setback; All Other
Grains Lose.**

Chicago, Jan. 5 (AP).—Setbacks in grain prices formed the rule late today as a result of moderate selling in a market devoid of any aggressive support from buyers.

The late downturns of grain values contrasted with an earlier upward trend and were more or less associated with Washington reports of proposed Congressional efforts to eliminate voluntary features of the agricultural adjustment act and to compel farm minorities to comply with production-control programs.

Another bearish factor was noted that no reports of material damage to the domestic winter wheat crop have been received.

Wheat Closes Unsettled.
Wheat closed unsettled near the day's low point, and $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ under yesterday's finish; corn, $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 cent down; oats, unchanged to $\frac{1}{2}$ lower; and provisions unchanged to a rise.

Throughout the first half of the year, when the market averaged higher, helped by a bullish construction put upon President Roosevelt's budget message and by reports indicating continued lack of adequate moisture for domestic winter wheat. However, reports were also at hand that wheat in all countries where winter wheat is growing or lying dormant appeared less favorable than usual, with lack of snow protection generally, and severe alternating temperatures producing cracking and root damage.

Extreme scantiness of domestic primary arrivals of wheat were also emphasized as coming at a time when a seasonal increase of milling

Sharp Rise in Dollars.

A sharp rise in the dollar abroad, however, did much subsequently to put a damper on inflation talk, and to curtail buying interest in wheat. A wide divergence of opinion as to the monetary outlook was e-

pressed by traders, and for the moment a waning of bullish sen-

ment was manifest. An unofficial estimate placed the amount of United States wheat fed to livestock so far this season at around 50,000,000 bushels, against 93,000,000 bushels at this time last year.

Corn and oats chiefly follow wheat, despite an improvement

	Futures Price Range			Low	Close
	Wholesale	Open	High		
May	82 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
July	82 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2

September	84%	84%	83%	84%
May	82%	82%	81%	82%
July	83%	83%	81%	82%
September	83%	83%	82%	83%
May	77%	77%	77%	77%
July	78%	78%	77%	78%
September	74%	74%	73%	74%
May	87%	87%	87%	87%
July	80	80	80	80
September	82%	82%	82	82
July	83%	83%	83%	83%

Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 1 red	85%	84%	84%	84%
CORN—No. 4 mixed	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Do. No. 3	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Do. No. 2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Do. No. 1 white	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Do. No. 2 white	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Do. No. 3 white	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
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white. 37¢/37½; No. 3 white. 36¢/37.
BARLEY—45¢/42.
TIMOTHY SEED—5.50¢/6.00 cwt.
CLOVER SEED—10.00¢/14.25 cwt.

World Trade

In Most Areas

Hold Stead

(Based on radiograms and cablegrams
Department of Commerce).

Business in Japan has been generally quiet, except that heavy holiday shopping brought improvement to the retail trade and reflected increased purchasing power of w

Better demand for rice in France has benefited the paddy market in French Indo-China. Holiday buying in Chile somewhat larger than in 1932.

The exchange control system Ecuador has been modified; exports continue slow but business temporarily stimulated by holiday sales.

The foreign trade of El Salvador has been relatively satisfactory during the past year, and the country has been able to obtain restricted credits.

The seasonal upturn in Nlcar has been somewhat less pronounced than was anticipated from early

The value of Greek foreign trade during October, 1933, was 1,100 million drachmas, or 110 million dollars, changed from the previous year, again showing an export surplus as the result of heavy shipments of wheat, currants; quantitatively the trade showed a considerable increase.

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Over a 15-year period three stocks have proven much more profitable than the average of industry averages. Some of the leading companies have paid continuous dividends for 80 to 100 years.

Our bulletin giving complete details and recommendations will be sent upon request.

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Tobacco Market to Reopen.
Martinsville, Va., Jan. 5 (Sp.). Following a three-week holiday, the Martinsville tobacco market will reopen next Monday, January 6, with fairly heavy sales anticipated.

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The Post Radio Time Table

Saturday, January 6		Today in Washington		Eastern Standard Time	
316 M.-WRC-350 KC.	476 M.-WMAJ-330 KC.	206 M.-WJVS-1400 KC.	259 M.-WOL-1310 KC.		
7:00 Exercises	Early Risers				
7:15 " " " " " "	Strickland Gillilan				
7:30 " " " " " "	Musical Clock				
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8:00 Morning Devotions					
8:15 Radio City Organ					
8:30 Cheerio					
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9:00 Morning Glories					
9:15 Landl Trio					
9:30 Bradley Kincaid	Pepper Pot				
9:45 Alan Prescott	News	Meisteringers			
10:00 Green and DeRose	Edward Hughes	Liquor Hearings	Ruth Eiting		
10:15 Morning Parade	Singing Strings		Duke Ellington's Orch.		
10:30 " " " " " "			Varieties at Values		
10:45 " " " " " "	Jules Allen				
11:00 Capital Band	Southern Singers				
11:15 Vass Family	Spanish Idylls		Ramona Sings		
11:30 Sonata Recital			Katzman's Orch.		
11:45 " " " " " "	Organ Melodies		Organ Doctor		
12:00 Down Lovers Lane			Luncheon Music		
12:15 " " " " " "	Genia Fonariova		The Songsmith		
12:30 Legion Talk	Farm, Home Hour		Will Osborne's Orch.		
12:45 Rex Battle Ensemble			Vincent Rizzo's Orch.		
1:00 Crippled Children Soc.			Sign-off		
1:15 Ted Black Orch.					
1:30 " " " " " "	Vic and Sade				
1:45 Metropolitan Opera	Metropolitan Opera				
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5:30 Famous Paintings	News	Jack Armstrong			
5:45 Arlene Jackson	Orphan Annie	Reis and Dunn	Guitar Orch.		
6:00 Wardman Ensemble	Sunday School	Meet the Artist			
6:15 " " " " " "	A. Pearce	Evening Rhythms	Today in Sports		
6:30 Richmond Humber Orch.	John Small	George Hall Orchest.	Crossroads Store		
6:45 Billmore Hotel Orch.	Capt. A. Williams	George Scherban Orch.	Village Nutsmith		
7:00 Mayflower Ensemble	John Herick	Frederic William Wile	Horace Huster's Orch.		
7:15 Community Forum	"Robin Hood"	"Joan of Arc"	News		
7:30 Circus Days	Eddie Duchin's Orch.	Three Maids	Parkside Ensemble		
7:45 Jack and Loretta		Parade of Motordom			
8:00 Automobile Show	New Deal Economics		Nisson's Gypsy Orch.		
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8:30 Jewels at Eventide	Carlos Gardel		Central Union Mission		
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9:00 Drama	Jamboree				
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10:00 B. A. Rolfe	Postilion	Byrd Broadcast	Dave Abram's Orch.		
10:15 " " " " " "	Masters Singers				
10:30 " " " " " "	F. O. B. Detroit	News	Clarence Furman's Orch.		
10:45 " " " " " "	H. V. Kallenborn				
11:00 One Man's Family	Barn Dance	Guy Lombardo	Meyer Davis' Orch.		
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11:30 News			Slumber Music		
11:45 Madrilion Orch.			Joe Venuti's Orch.		
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Unmentionable.

The ancient dame is oft dismayed when youngsters call a spade a spade. She thinks of how, when she was young, she set a guard upon her tongue and mentioned nothing that would shock the Puritans upon her block. Then many topics were tabooed, and only people coarse and rude, dishonored males and ribald maids, would speak of spades as being spades. Old people hear with grief and pain the modern discourse, rude and plain, that touches on forbidden themes, as though inspired by hop-head dreams. It was not thus long years ago, when people called a spade a hoe. They think it is a modern crime, unknown in all the by-gone time. But if we take a backward view, we find that it is nothing new. Whenever some big war is closed the weary people are disposed to dump all standards, sane and wise, and speak their thoughts without disguise, and hand out language much decayed, referring

to the spade as spade. As gentle peace resumes its pace, men think such conduct a disgrace, refinement takes its ancient seat, and rudeness beats a swift retreat, politeness is no more a fake, and people call a spade a rake. The world's already growing tired of jargon that was much admired 10 years ago, or 8, or 5. When smut was sprung by every skate.

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Ship Movements

At New York.
Sail Today.
American Merchant, for London.
Argosy, for Copenhagen.
Breda, for Rotterdam.
Tex. for Gibraltar.
Europa, for Bremen.
Lafayette, for Havre.
Saba Mendez, for Antwerp.
Hesperia, for Rio de Janeiro.
Gerolstein, from Antwerp; due at Weehaven dock, today.
Washington, from Hamburg; due at Jersey City wharf, tomorrow.
Britannic, from Liverpool; due at pier 59, 10th Street, Monday.
American Walker, from London; due at pier 58, North River, Monday.
Tuscan, from Gijón; due at pier 56, North River, Monday.

Today's Crossword

ACROSS.

- 1 Large serpents
- 2 Title of a monk
- 3 Box scientific
- 4 Tennyson's name
- 5 Tennyson's name
- 6 Westward
- 7 Rescue
- 8 Newspaper paragraph
- 9 Father or mother
- 10 Title of Franz Liszt
- 11 Jubilant
- 12 Paralytic
- 13 Dry
- 14 State whose capital is Bismarck
- 15 Elevated railroad; colloq.
- 16 Land measure
- 17 Black wood
- 18 The ones remaining
- 19 Preceding nights
- 20 Distant
- 21 Stay
- 22 Roasting compartments

DOWN.

- 1 Baseball implement
- 2 Palm leaf
- 3 A loud
- 4 Strikes
- 5 Inclined channel
- 6 Thing
- 7 Near
- 8 Covered with a hard surface
- 9 God of the Philistines
- 10 So be it
- 11 Remainder
- 12 Grandchild
- 13 Scotch
- 14 Form of literature
- 15 Any composition
- 16 Peel
- 17 Part of a ship
- 18 God of the Philistines
- 19 Tardier
- 20 Pleasure boats
- 21 Baseball team
- 22 Former Algerian governors
- 23 At liberty
- 24 Flattered over
- 25 Makes amends
- 26 Pass from one state into another
- 27 Last Greek letter
- 28 Velocity
- 29 Ecclesiastical court
- 30 Malign
- 31 While
- 32 Manage
- 33 Urchin
- 34 Inclosure for pigs
- 35 Pronoun

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS.

1. JOKER ORB
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3. SHIRRED BRAND
4. LAYS NEAT
5. THERM SELFISH
6. HE EARLS TOME
7. IAN NEITH NOR
8. EVES ANSER TO
9. FETLOCK RIPEN
10. WART BOOR
11. SLOYD BRITONS
12. PER ELAIN PEA
13. YAK RANGE STY

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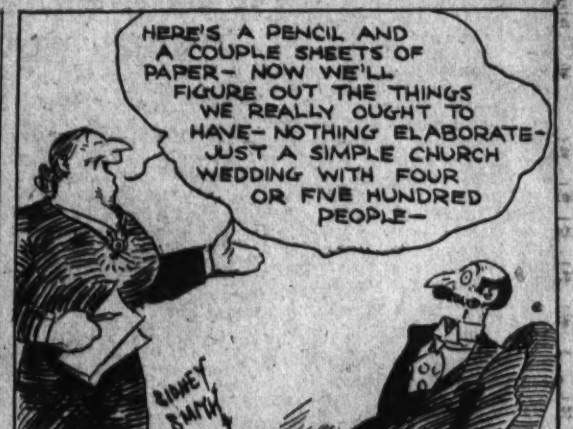
Napoleon and Uncle Elby
By Clifford McBride

The Gumps

EVER IN ALL HIS LIFE HAS BIN BEEN SO HAPPY—HIS HEAD IS IN THE CLOUDS—HIS HEART THROBS WITH ECSTASY—AND HIS DREAMS ARE FILLED WITH BRIGHT VISIONS—FEBRUARY 1ST IS THE DATE—LET THE ORCHIDS BE LOVELY—LET THE BELLS BE MELLOW—LET NOTHING INTERFERE WITH BIN'S HAPPINESS—



WELL, IF YOU ASK MY ADVICE—



A Quiet Little Affair

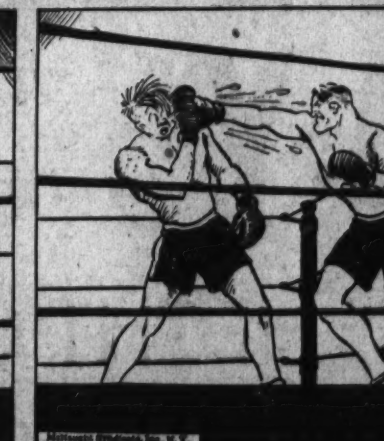
By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

LIKE BEING LED INTO A STOREHOUSE OF ENCHANTED MEMORIES, MICKY HUNGRILY HEARS FROM HER AUNT ELLEN ALL THOSE LONG-HIDDEN DETAILS ABOUT THE MOTHER SHE NEVER KNEW—



Read The Post's Comics to Start Every Day With a Smile

Joe Palooka



Winnie Winkle, the Breadwinner

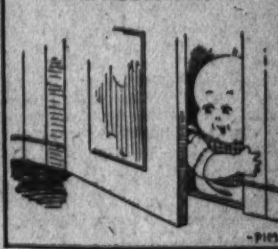


Minute Movies



Baby Mine

POP SAYS IF MARY HADN'T BOUGHT SO MANY THINGS SHE COULDN'T AFFORD THERE WOULDN'T BE ANY BIG BAD WOLF AT THE DOOR NOW.



By Ed Wheeler

Ukraine Theme Basis of Opera Coming Jan. 26

"Mazeppa" at Belasco to Offer Nikolai Karlash in Title Role.

Chalkovski's colorful and seldom-heard opera, "Mazeppa," will be presented in Washington by the Ukrainian Art Theater of Philadelphia, on January 26 in the Belasco Theater, with the distinguished basso cantant, Nikolai Karlash, formerly of the Russian Grand Opera Co., singing the title role. The interest of music lovers in this unusual opportunity meets the expectations of the management, two additional performances will be given the following day.

The timeliness of this production, coming as it does so closely upon the recognition of the U. S. S. R. by the United States Government, should enhance its interest for the public. The central figure of the opera, Ivan Mazeppa, is one of the national heroes of Russia, and stands as a symbol of the liberation of the people from tyranny.

Has Political Theme.

Historically, the opera concerns itself with the political situation created by that compelling personality, Ivan Mazeppa, who was chosen Hetman of the Ukraine Kazak Republic in 1687 at the time when Peter the Great was attempting to annex the Ukraine and make it a protectorate of Tsarist Russia. In the struggle to keep his country free from imperial domination, Mazeppa formed an alliance with Charles XII of Sweden. In the decisive battle of Poltava, the allies were defeated by Peter's army, and Mazeppa was forced to flee from the Ukraine.

Chalkovski based his opera on Alexander Pushkin's narrative poem, "Poltava," one of the classics of Russian literature. The fact that Lord Byron also wrote a "Mazeppa" is only one of the links between the English poet and his contemporary, Pushkin, who has been called the Russian Byron. They were both animated by the same romantic spirit.

Sang Before Roosevelts.

Nikolai Karlash regards this Washington engagement as one that will greatly interest and please President and Mrs. Roosevelt, to whom he is well known. He has appeared at several receptions in the Roosevelt home in New York City, and the last occasion when he sang there was about a week before Gov. Roosevelt's election to the Presidency.

Among Washingtonians who are taking an interest in the production of "Mazeppa" are Charles Edward Russell, author, lecturer and former envoy to Russia during the Wilson Administration; Mrs. Gertrude Lyons, president of the District of Columbia Federation of Music Clubs; Charles T. Ashton, of the Munsey Trust Co., and Miss Mary A. Cryder.

Recovery Plans

Termed Ruinous

Robey Foresees Federal Financing Troubles.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5 (U.P.)—The National recovery program was called a "program of financial ruin" today by Ralph West Robey, of New York, at a conference of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

"It is a mistake to term this a program of economic recovery," he said. "A more accurate phrase would be a program of financial ruin."

In discussing President Roosevelt's budget message to Congress, Robey said the "plain fact of the matter is that the Government will not be able to sell any such amount of its obligations to private and institutional investors in this country during the next six months."

Roosevelt Amends, Signs Food Code

Deletes Rule Forcing Sale of Approved Goods.

The Recovery Administration yesterday announced President Roosevelt has signed the wholesale food and grocery code, the United Press reported.

By Executive order he removed from the code a provision compelling wholesalers to sell only products which comply with the National food and drug act. He also suspended for 30 days a provision establishing a differential between manufacturers who sell to retailers as well as wholesalers and those who sell to the wholesale trade alone.

A joint code authority was set up to administer the wholesale and the retail food and grocery codes.

Cash in Color

Sale of Taxi Property Rights Sought.

The District Supreme Court yesterday was asked to appoint a trustee to sell the property rights in the color scheme, design and monogram of the Independent Taxi Owners Association, so Clara W. Chaplin, 4405 Iowa avenue northwest, can obtain satisfaction for a \$7500 judgment.

She was given the judgment last year. Now she asks the court to sell the property rights so she can obtain the money award. An injunction was also requested to prevent the taxi company from transferring, selling or otherwise disposing of the rights before a final decision of the court.

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Gen. Clem, Drummer Hero, Greets G. A. R. Comrades Here

Like a faint echo from the Georgia battle's tumult which cast him as a hero came a message yesterday from Maj. Gen. John Lincoln Clem, the drummer boy of Chickamauga. It was a message of New Year's cheer to his Civil War comrades and brother members of Kit Carson Post, G. A. R.

Gen. Clem, the youngest member of the Grand Army of the Republic, is in failing health at the home of his son in San Antonio, Tex. Until a short time ago his home for many

Pennsylvania Ave. Extension Favored

Parks Body Doubtful on Prospect St. Connection.

The National Capital Park and Planning Commission has approved in general a proposal by Melvin C. Hazen, chairman of the Board of District Commissioners, to extend Pennsylvania avenue north of M street to connect with an extension of Prospect street from Wisconsin avenue to Thirtieth street northwest.

Frederic A. Delano, chairman of the parks body, yesterday wrote to Hazen that the commission favors the extension of Prospect street, "but is not quite satisfied with the diagonal connection to M street and Pennsylvania avenue, which it desires to study further."

The plan would necessitate the diagonal crossing of a square between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets by Pennsylvania avenue. Commissioner Hazen, for many years District surveyor, said yesterday his plan has now been broadened to include the extension of Prospect street westward, as well as eastward, to connect with Canal road.

Federal Agents Jail Bushwhacker Suspect

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 5 (U.P.)—J. A. Clifton, chief of the Carolina division, Alcoholic Beverages Bureau of the Department of Justice, today said C. R. Millis, 28, confessed the ambush shooting of Herman Barbrey, dry agent.

Barbrey was shot Wednesday, after he arrested Jesse Millis, 18, brother of C. R. Millis, at a still.

Bank Practice Open Hearing Here Feb. 15

Johnson to Call Enforcers of 1935 Pact to Parley; Re-Hearings Begin.

(United Press.)

An open hearing February 15 on fair trade practices of banks operating under the bankers' code was yesterday announced by NRA Administrator Hugh S. Johnson. Johnson also said that, due to complaints about operation of various codes, he proposed to summon all code authorities to Washington early in February to discuss their work and plan harmonious and better organization. There are 198 codes signed to date, and all code agencies will be asked to bring complaints and administrative troubles to the conference.

The electric code was re-opened yesterday for hearing on price control and suggested amendments. Independent electric lamp manufacturers charge the code with creating a monopoly for leaders in the industry.

A public hearing on the lumber code next Tuesday was announced by Division Administrator Malcolm Muir, who has received complaints that the lumber code is not helping the industry.

Johnson said he desired to receive specific complaints in rehearing the codes, and he saw no reason why business firms should not be glad to testify against competitors.

The bankers' code has been in effect 60 days, but difficulties have arisen over formulating fair practice regulations.

Farm Codes Will Be Transferred to NRA

Secretary Wallace informed the Associated Press yesterday that announcement will be made within a few days on the transfer to the NRA of codes under the jurisdiction of the Farm Administration. Such transfer is now awaiting a definition of what constitutes first processing of farm products and signing of an Executive order authorizing control by the NRA.

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Barnes Circus Chief Wins Nevada Divorce

Las Vegas, Nev., Jan. 5 (U.P.)—A divorce was granted today to Richard A. Calhoun, manager of Al G. Barnes Circus, from Mara R. Calhoun, former opera singer. The couple married in Pasco, Wash., July 13, 1925.

Calhoun charged his wife was more in love with music than with him.

Young Grandmother Gets Life Sentence

Franklin, La., Jan. 5 (U.P.)—Mrs. Allie Mae Purvis, of Bogalusa, 38-year-old grandmother, recently sentenced to hang after being convicted of the murder of her husband, today was granted a new trial and immediately changed her plea to guilty. Judge C. Ellis then sentenced her to life imprisonment in the State Penitentiary.

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THE NAKED TRUTH

About the Men's Clothing Situation . . . !

This news item, appearing in a Sunday newspaper, gives you a true and clear-cut picture of the men's clothing situation, present and future. It tells you, in no uncertain terms, that the man who buys his suit and overcoat now, will reap the benefit of the kind of low prices which will not prevail later on.

Smaller Profits Are Expected on Men's Wear Lines

Special Dispatch to The Star.
CHICAGO, December 23.—The largest stores in the men's wear field will have a profitable fall season because they have supplied themselves with merchandise, but few of them will make a profit. The reason is that the consumer will face the necessity of buying goods produced under the N. R. A. and in consequence they will represent a sizable advance over this year's quotations. It has always been known that the higher the price the fewer goods are sold, he says, noting that throughout the fall season his store has continued to sell men's wear on the basis of cost. They are priced at \$33 wholesale, at \$35 which are just purchased. He points out that increased costs of merchandise, increased costs of operation, increased taxes and other elements will combine to make Spring, 1934, a difficult one for the merchant. He agrees with the observation that many of the smaller stores bought so liberally of staple goods that they were unable later to emulate the big stores in buying the novelties so necessary every season.

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- 339 Airman White and Solid Color Shirts
- 415 Mel-O-Glo White and Plain Shirts
- 935 Everfit Fancy Pattern Shirts
- 577 of our own High-Grade Shirts

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Some soiled. Some mused. Discontinued patterns. All perfect. Sizes 13½ to 18, but not in every make, style, and material. Sleeves, 33 to 35.

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